

TAMBER BEY



2008 Deux Chevaux Vineyard Chardonnay

Winemaker Notes, Mike Smith:

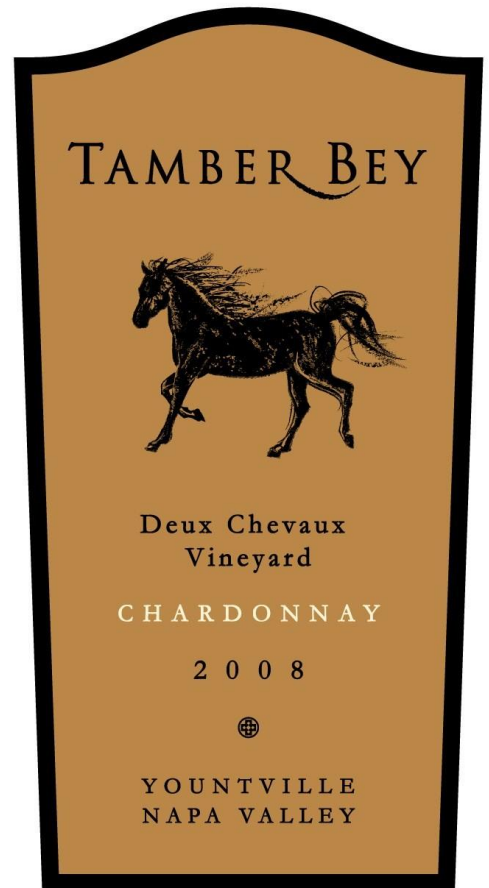
In 2008 we were rewarded with another stunning Chardonnay from our Yountville Deux Chevaux vineyard. The senses are immediately greeted by a stunningly vibrant ginger and light gold tinged wine with amazing clarity. Honeysuckle, ripe Bartlett pear and subtle wood spice exude from the glass. On the palate these notes are echoed along with a distinct minerality note infused with lightly toasted almonds and fresh natural acidity. What sets this wine apart from most Napa Valley Chardonnays is its ability to capture richness and mouthfeel from its climatic roots but still stay light on its feet. The finish echoes the above notes and takes your senses to another level of richness as the rich oak undertones subtly release themselves into a long finish. Look for this wine to provide immediate pleasure in its youth but also obtain secondary nuances with a couple years of bottle age in a cold cellar.”

Deux Chevaux Vineyard

The Deux Chevaux Vineyard is a 60-acre vineyard situated in the Yountville Appellation, northeast of the town of Yountville. The vineyard is planted with Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Cabernet Franc and Chardonnay. Deux Chevaux is French for “two horses,” the namesake of Tamber Bey.

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Tamber Bey is a privately-owned and operated winery that produces wine from its two vineyards at the heart of the Napa Valley, the Estate Vineyard in the Oakville Appellation and the Deux Chevaux Vineyard in the Yountville Appellation. The name Tamber Bey reflects the names of owner Barry Waitte’s first two Arabian endurance horses, Tamborina (Tamber) and Bayamo (Bey).



Varietal:	Dijon Clone Chardonnay
Alcohol:	14.7%
Harvest:	October 2008
Cooperage:	French Saury
Time in Oak:	18 months
Released:	April 2010
Production:	220 cases
SRP:	750ml \$45.00