

2008 Precioso Pinot Noir

- + Harvest Dates: Sept. 7 – Sept. 25, 2008
- + Clone: 667, 777, La Tache
- *Bottling Date: February 24, 2010
- Production: 51 cases (750 mL), 25 cases (1.5 L)
- *Alcohol: 14.3%
- *Total Acidity: 0.60 g/100 mL
- *pH: 3.38



The 2008 Keller Estate Precioso Pinot Noir is a selection of reserve quality barrels from the estate. We look for barrels which give us purity of fruit expression, offered from our many clones, and powerful body with good length. Each barrel in the blend contributes a component to the whole. Some have fruit cradled in a matrix of oak and fruit tannin. Others contributed rich texture in the mouth and good length. The opulent red fruit of the 2008 Keller Estate Precioso Pinot Noir is a reminder of the warm close to the 2008 growing season, where ideal ripeness was achieved, while still preserving the wine's natural acidity. The nose is full of cassis, raspberries at peak ripeness, and rhubarb-cherry pie. The earthy notes in the aroma profile are hints of cedar chest, sandalwood, and freshly tanned leather before it has been polished. The 2008 Keller Estate Precioso Pinot Noir is a well-built wine with elegant tannin structure, made for long-term aging. Take time to enjoy this wine so you can savor it as it opens up over time, revealing a feminine side in the supple tannins and the trademark minerality from the estate. The 2008 Keller Estate Precioso Pinot Noir is a classic Pinot Noir from the Sonoma Coast.

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