



At Lattanzio Wines we believe it is the winemaker's job to take perfectly ripe fruit and gently coax the complex flavors and aromas into the bottle. This is our core belief; it guides us in the day-to-day crafting of our wines. With each vintage we strive to showcase each individual vineyard's unique character.

I love this vineyard for the depth and richness of the beef, black pepper and dark fruit flavors exhibited in the wines produced from it. You may know of the highly regarded syrah produced by Neyers Vineyards from "Old Lakeville Road". This is the same vineyard.

2008 FEDRICK RANCH

Vineyard:

The Sangiacomo Family developed this 12 acre vineyard in the mid-1990's, using bud wood from the three primary red wine vineyards in the northern Rhone: Cornas, Hermitage and Cote Rotie. It is located on a steep, southwest-facing slope in the Petaluma Gap area of the Sonoma Coast AVA. The rocky, clay soil is well drained promoting intensity and concentration in the grapes. The cooling influence of the San Francisco Bay allows for a very long growing season which encourages complex flavor development.

Winemakers Notes:

Tasting Notes:

Dark, inky purple color. Sexy bouquet of black pepper, violets, crushed dark fruits and bittersweet chocolate. In the mouth, this wine is rich and full bodied but retains freshness with juicy acidity. It finishes long with soft, mouth-coating tannins.

Press:

91 *Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar Issue 156, May/June 2011*

"Opaque ruby. Expressive scents of blackberry, blueberry, dark chocolate and violet, with a spicy overtone. Velvety and sweet on entry, then tighter in the middle, offering sappy dark berry preserve and spicecake flavors with a late jolt of licorice. Juicy and precise on the finish, with the floral and spice notes echoing. Quite primary, but there would be no harm in drinking this on the young side for its fruit."



Varietal:	100% Pinot Noir
Clones:	877 & Syrah Noir
Harvest Date:	September 27th , 2008
Alcohol:	14.7%
Cooperage:	Aged 14 months in 100% French oak (33% new)
Production	150 cases

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