

# Rocky Point Cellars

WILLAMETTE VALLEY

2010

## PINOT NOIR

*Le Cadeau Vineyard Lot 50*

### VINEYARD DETAILS

Le Cadeau Vineyard sits on the rocky Southern tip of the Chehalem Mountain AVA on Parrett Mountain near Newberg in the well renowned Willamette Valley. The Lot 50 block sits on the rockiest hillside of the western end of the vineyard atop Widzel Soil (broken basalt rock with minimal topsoil) – aspect south with southwest roll; elevation 675’.

### THE WINE

Lot 50 is crafted from 80% Pommard and 20% 667 Pinot Noir clones – both bringing deep, dark mountain fruit aromatics and flavors. Added structure and spice come through 16 months of extended aging in a mix of new and third fill custom built, 48 month seasoned, French oak barrels.

### TASTING NOTES

*Bright ruby-red. Sexy aromas of blackberry and cola, with a hint of spicecake gaining strength with air. Juicy, penetrating and appealingly sweet lingering vanilla and cola qualities with nicely buffered tannins.*

*Josh Raynolds*



### VINTAGE DETAILS

*Harvest Date:* October 20th, 2010

*Yield:* 2/3 Ton per Acre

*Brix:* 22.5

*pH:* 3.35

*Alcohol:* 12.8%

100% Whole Berry

*Barrel Aging:* 16 months extended aging in a mix of new and third fill custom crafted 48 month seasoned ERMITAGE French oak barrels. A combination of 1/3 Vosges and 2/3 Troncais Light Toast; 50/50 Bertranges/Troncais. Light Toast

*Clone(s):* 80% Pommard; 20% 667

*Vine Age:* 4 Y.O.

*AVA:* Parrett Mountain, Chehalem Mountain AVA, Willamette Valley Oregon

*Cases Produced:* 100

*Released:* November 2010

*Retail Price:* \$65  
**SOLD OUT**