



CALONA VINEYARDS



artist series | no. 1 | A STORY THAT BEGINS ON THE LABEL AND FINISHES ON YOUR PALATE



Calona Vineyards *Artist Series* tells a story that begins on the label and finishes on your palate. It's about award-winning wines and wonderful art brought together to reflect each other's brilliance. Each painting is carefully selected for the special way that it evokes the unique flavour of the wine. In "Summer Meadow", Robb Dunfield portrays the simple pleasure of a warm day by a brook, a parallel to the simple pleasure that our floral and fresh Sovereign Opal inspires. It's an exhibition of individual taste and a showcase for the wines of Calona Vineyards.

SOVEREIGN OPAL 2002

A Calona Vineyards exclusive wine filled with delicate floral aromas and spicy fruitiness which unfold into flavours of peach and ripe apple. This is a challenging grape to harvest and make into wine, but with whole cluster pressing and gentle handling, the result is well worth the extra effort.

WINEMAKER NOTES

The Sovereign Opal grape was developed by Agriculture Canada to thrive specifically in the Okanagan Valley. Grown by the Carsoro family, this varietal is created exclusively for Calona Vineyards, resulting in a unique and distinctive wine.

VINTAGE AWARDS

2001	BRONZE	Canadian Wine Awards
2000	SILVER	Grand Harvest Awards
1999	GOLD	Intervin International
1999	BRONZE	All-Canadian Wine Championships
1998	SILVER	Intervin International
1998	BRONZE	Grand Harvest Awards

FOOD SUGGESTIONS

Blackened ahi tuna.

DRYNESS	DRY	-----	SWEET
BODY	DELICATE	---•-----	VERY FULL
ACIDITY	SOFT	-----	VERY CRISP
TANNINS	NONE	•-----	HEAVY
OAK	NONE	•-----	HEAVY

ALCOHOL	12.0%
PRODUCT NO.	+364265
UPC	0-58976-32004-2
TO ORDER	1.800.663.5086

OKANAGAN VALLEY VQA

artist series reserve | the perfect blend of art and craft

