



CALONA VINEYARDS



*artist series | no.18* | 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 it evokes the unique flavour of the wine. *Norah Borden's "As Daylight Whispers to Ocean"* is a river of colour as two forces flow together, a striking analogy to the harmonious blending of two classic grapes in our Cabernet Merlot. It's an exhibition of individual taste and a showcase for the wines of Calona Vineyards.

**CABERNET MERLOT 2007**

Ruby to garnet colour with a bouquet of red and black berries, cedar, smoke and a touch of black pepper. This medium-bodied wine has soft yet drying tannins and flavours of red berries, currants and spice, which also linger on the finish.

**WINEMAKER NOTES**

Bordeaux derived varietals, such as Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Merlot combined in a blend, often give a richer, more satisfying sensory experience than if the individual wines were tasted. We use the fruit from our best vineyards in Penticton and Oliver to make this blend.

**AWARDS**

2006 Vintage  
GOLD - Tasters Guild Int. Wine Competition

**FOOD SUGGESTIONS**

Gourmet burgers.

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

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