



**2006 Outpost True Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon
Napa Valley**

<i>Release Date</i>	March 2009
<i>Appellation</i>	Howell Mountain elev. 1800 feet above the Napa Valley floor
<i>Winemaker</i>	Thomas Rivers Brown
<i>Varietal composition</i>	95% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2.5% Cab Franc, 2.5% Merlot
<i>Production</i>	350 cases
<i>Alcohol</i>	14.5%
<i>Cooperage</i>	100% new French oak barrels

Winemaker Tasting Notes

This wine begins with a superexotic nose of acacia flowers, crushed stones, liquid minerals and cassis. Black fruits dominate the palate with tons of rich blackberry, black currant fruit and an underlying structure that carries the finish for minutes. I believe this wine is by far the best Cabernet wine to ever come out of Outpost.

Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Tasting Notes

“It reveals a floral cocktail-like bouquet intermixed with lead pencil shavings, blue and black fruit, good freshness, and laser-like focus. A powerful, rich, layered effort, it ranks notches above their regular offering. It should evolve for two decades.” --94 pts.