



RUTHERFORD  
*Ranch*  
N A P A V A L L E Y

Rutherford Ranch  
2008 Sauvignon Blanc

*The 2008 harvest followed a tumultuous growing season - harsh frosts, unusually high temperatures and a record early start. The quality of the fruit is outstanding - producing elegant, well-structured and concentrated wines.*

*This Sauvignon Blanc is crisp and refreshing. It has delicious stone fruit characteristics and explosive tropical aromas and flavors which distinctively reflect our Napa Valley fruit. We source grapes from warmer areas of the Valley for the grassier characteristics and blend with those from cooler sites, which give us bright tropical notes and flavors.*

**WINE DESCRIPTION:**

**Aromas:** Bright tropical aromas of lemongrass with melon, lime zest and ruby red grapefruit.

**Flavors:** Reflect the nose with Meyer lemon, orange zest, honeydew melon, and gooseberry. This wine has crisp acidity, a round mouthfeel and long finish. Its' good structure will keep this wine fresh for the next two years.

**TOTAL ACID/pH:** .62 / 3.40

**BLEND:** 100% Sauvignon Blanc

**AGING:** Stainless Steel

**ALCOHOL:** 13.5%

**RELEASE DATE:** December 2009

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WINE COMPANY**

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