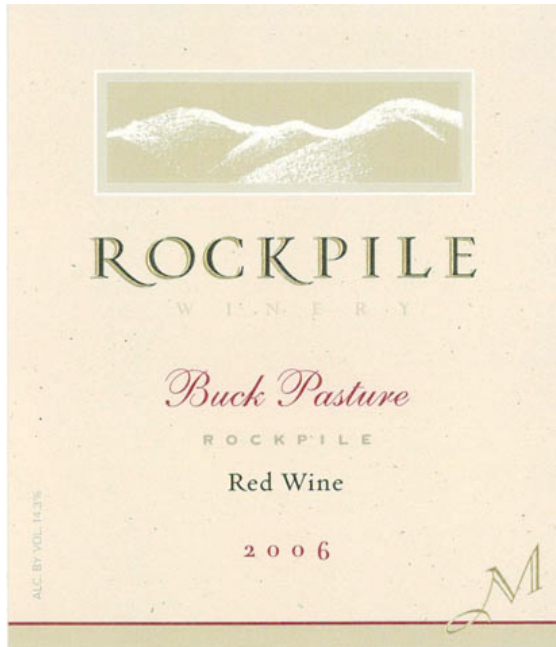


## ***2006 Mauritson Rockpile Buck Pasture Vineyard Red Wine***



Production: Approximately 357 cases

Appellation: Rockpile

Composition: 55% Cabernet Sauvignon,  
20% Cabernet Franc, 15%  
Malbec, 10% Petite Verdot

Vineyards: Buck Pasture Vineyard

Alcohol: 14.3% by volume

Aging: 22 months oak barrels  
100% French

### **Winemaker Notes**

Back in the old days, when you wanted to find a big buck, you went to the area of the ranch called the Buck Pasture. These days you'll find more big wines than big bucks coming from the Buck Pasture.

The nose is elegant yet powerful, restrained yet complex. The initial aromas showcase the amazing Malbec fruit and finish with earth and herbs. The fruit is dusty strawberry accented with cassis and black cherry. The range of flavors is seemingly never ending; lavender, earth, tobacco, vanilla and coffee. There is no doubt that this wine is a baby. The intricacy of the tannins is amazing, broad and full. This wine will age beautifully for the next 10 years.