

# RIDGE 2009 LYTTON SPRINGS®

**71% ZINFANDEL, 23% PETITE SIRAH, 6% CARIGNANE**  
**DRY CREEK VALLEY** 14.5% ALCOHOL BY VOLUME  
GROWN, PRODUCED & BOTTLED BY RIDGE VINEYARDS, INC.  
650 LYTTON SPRINGS ROAD, HEALDSBURG, SONOMA COUNTY, CA 95448

## 09 Lytton Springs Vineyard, bottled 2/11

Despite welcome late-spring rains, the growing season got off to an early start in 2009. Significant heat throughout July ripened the grapes for harvest in early September. The vineyard's thirty-four parcels were picked separately, fermented on their natural yeasts, and were pressed at dryness. In blind tastings following natural malolactic, we chose twenty-three of the lots to exemplify the vintage. The proportion of new oak was reduced slightly, to allow full expression of the wine's fruit and inherent elegance. Enjoyable upon release, this opulent—though structured—Lytton Springs will evolve over the next ten to fifteen years.

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750 mL  
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**GOVERNMENT WARNING:** (1) ACCORDING TO THE SURGEON GENERAL, WOMEN SHOULD NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF BIRTH DEFECTS. (2) CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IMPAIRS YOUR ABILITY TO DRIVE A CAR OR OPERATE MACHINERY, AND MAY CAUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS.

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