

Beckstoffer Las Piedras Vineyard

Alpha Omega

2011 Alpha Omega Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer Las Piedras Vineyard

91 Points

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The 2011 Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer Las Piedras Vineyard shows lots of sweet earth, red and black fruit and cedarwood characteristics, more minerality than the George III, and a precocious, fleshy, attractive style meant for near-term drinking (as most 2011s suggest).

Alpha Omega, which has been in existence for nearly a decade, is located in a handsome building on Highway 29. The wines are made by Jean Hoefliger teamed with the famous globe-trotting Bordeaux oenologist, Michel Rolland. I have noticed incremental improvement in these cuvees, and the 2011s generally performed well. - RP

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