

# Barreto Cellars

## 2002 Malbec

**Variety:** 100% Malbec

**Appellation:** Paso Robles – Huerhuero Vineyard

**Harvest date:** 9/23/02

**Brix at harvest:** 23.4

**Alcohol:** 12.4

**Acidity:** 5.61

**pH:** 3.60

**Residual Sugar:** 0.63g/L

**Date Bottled:** August 20, 2003

**Cases Produced:** 22

**Winemaking:** Hand harvested, crushed and fermented in an open top container. Gently pressed and aged in a French oak barrel.

**Tasting Notes:** One of the classic Bordeaux varieties, Malbec is highly regarded for its ability to color and finesse to a wine. This elegant version is fruit driven with a complexity that is not overpowering.

