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THE B LABEL IS RESERVED FOR OUR ESTATE BOTTLED WINES, SOURCED FROM THE BEDELL VINEYARDS, THE COREY CREEK VINEYARDS, AND THE WELLS ROAD VINEYARD, ALL PART OF THE BEDELL ESTATE.

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## RESERVE MERLOT 2007

Merlot is arguably the most important grape grown on the North Fork. Our conditions here are favorable to producing a balanced, rich and complex wine. The excellent 2007 vintage produced a wine of medium-full body and intense color. The Reserve is deep, brooding and powerful. It features beautiful aromas of cherry, blackberry, briar, vanilla and hints of toasty oak. The tannins are ripe and supple. The acidity is uplifting and refreshing, and balances a dense core of red and black fruit flavors. This wine is drinkable now, and will easily age for at least ten years.

With vines planted in 1980, Bedell Cellars has been owned since 2000 by Michael Lynne, a film executive and art collector. His commitment to producing world-class wines from the North Fork of Long Island is evident in the bottle.

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100% MERLOT . AVA: NORTH FORK OF LONG ISLAND (NEW YORK)

WINEMAKERS: KELLY URBANIK, WITH PASCAL MARTY . CASES PRODUCED: 530 (12-BTL) CASES

AGED 9 MONTHS IN FRENCH OAK, 90% NEW / FINISHED AGING 4 MONTHS IN FRENCH OAK, 50% NEW . COOPERS: A. FOUQUET, SEGUIN MOREAU, TARANSAUD, CADUS  
ALC. BY VOL. 13.6% . HARVESTED THROUGHOUT OCTOBER, 2007 . RELEASE DATE: OCTOBER 1, 2009



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