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The name Vinifera Vineyards was the first name used by the Beckstoffer family in the 1970's when they began their foray into Napa Valley vineyard management. The original name was later abandoned and changed to Beckstoffer Vineyards in 1982. This gorgeous new project created by Tuck Beckstoffer, son to the well known vineyard manager Andy Beckstoffer, implements that original name with respect to Tuck's upbringing in the wine industry. The wine was put into bottle by Rob Lawson, a name that we write and refer to often. His projects reach from California to Italy focusing on his own label called Pavi, and local Napa labels such as Ghost Block, Kapcsandy, TuTu, Napa Wine Company and so on. We have the pleasure of sharing espresso with Rob regularly as he walks through our shop and into Jeff Smith's (Hourglass/TuTu) office located in our building. He is quite understated as a winemaker and that comes almost solely from his own doing. His talents are titanic, but his ego is diminutive. What an excellent representation of world class wine made for the under \$50 group of buyers!!!