

# SWANSON

## VINEYARDS

### 2007 MODERN HOUSE WINES

Eleven different wines were introduced in 2010 - all 2007 vintage, all Oakville appellation:

**SWELL SWILL • WITH LOVE • MERCI • THRILLED FOR YOU  
PLEASE FORGIVE ME • JUST MARRIED • HOUSE WINE  
MAZEL TOV • EXPENSIVE • LUCKY NIGHT**



#### 2007 GROWING SEASON:

A cold and relatively dry winter, and a warm spring jump-started the 2007 growing season at our Oakville vineyard. A relatively small crop meant good concentration of classic aromas and flavors that conjure up the image of a nice Bordeaux. Summer was mild, which gave us a long ripening, always best for Bordeaux varieties like Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot. We harvested the grapes in mid-October under optimal conditions.

#### WINEMAKER NOTES:

Ripe black cherry and raspberry aromas. Round upon entry in the mouth, excellent balance. Supple, fine-grained tannins resolve nicely. Long, aromatic finish. If you ordered a bottle of Bordeaux in a nice Parisian bistro, it would taste like this. Made to accompany food.

#### RETAIL PRICE: \$25/ BOTTLE

##### BARRELS:

24 months in French & American oak,  
1/3 new

##### ALCOHOL:

14.8%

##### BOTTLING DATE:

June 2009

##### VARIETAL BLEND:

95% Merlot, 5% Syrah

##### APPELLATION:

Oakville

##### CASE PRODUCTION:

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