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*Pinot Noir is  
from the  
Heart*



## **2008 Benton Lane Estate Grown Willamette Valley Pinot Noir**

13.45%, \$26, screw cap. A featured winery at this year's IPNC, Benton Lane was founded by Steve and Carol Girard in 1988. The 140-acre vineyard uses a combination of organic, biodynamic and sustainable methods to produce special Pinot Noir and Pinot Gris. The stamp label is distinctive. *Lovely berry melange on the nose. An easy drinker that is light in the mouth with flavorful notes of dark red berries with an earthy undertone. Ready to grace the dinner table now. Very good.*

