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## We're Toasting: Sonoma on The Broadcast

BY HAYLEY HAMILTON 03/05/2014 AMAPOLA CREEK LASSETER PFENDLER PINOT NOIR RAVENSWOOD RUELING SONOMA THE BROADCAST WINE



I love the region of Sonoma...relaxed, comfortable and very, very welcoming. We're heading out this weekend so I wanted to talk about a few of my favorites this morning with Suzie on The Broadcast before we have our Sonoma adventure. Click here to see segment from the show; check out little bit about the story behind each wine below. Cheers!

Lasseter Amoureux Malbec Blend – \$54, John Lasseter has an incredible career in film, working for Disney and then going on to head up Pixar, creating some of the most beloved animated films in history. Like many filmmakers, he also loves wine and had a dream to open his own winery with his wife, Nancy, influenced by some of their favorite wines produced in the Rhone region of France. In addition to Rhone though, they also love a great Bordeaux style blend, this one featuring Malbec at the front, as they fell in love with Malbec on on their honeymoon, from their Sonoma County estate fruit. Blended with a touch of Cabernet Sauvignon for structure and power, Merlot for supple lushness and floral Cabernet Franc the black cherry and spice Malbec sings of France in the heart of California.