



October 21, 2003

Dear Friends,

I hope this letter finds you doing well.

One of the things I like about winemaking is the grapes vary so much every year due to the weather, and for other reasons understood only by Mother Nature. I had originally intended to make the same group of wines in 2001 that we did in 2000. However, the 2001 wines were so different that after many blending trials, I discovered a single blend that was better than any of the individual wines. We therefore created a new wine and named it "**Artist Series #1**". The beautiful label is a collaboration between Sarah Rogers, an artist in Sundance, Wyoming (the town our Sundance wine is named after) and Terry Heckler, our long-time designer.

The 2001 Artist Series wine is a blend of 64% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot, 12% Cabernet Franc and 4% Petite Verdot from our four vineyards: Champoux, Charbonneau, Ciel du Cheval and Pepper Bridge. It has sufficient structure to be a serious wine, good complexity of flavors and excellent balance. Most importantly though, it is just plain delicious. It is drinking well already, but I know it has the structure to age well also.

The wine critics continue to write kind words about our wines - this past year we were honored to be listed as one of the top Cabernet Sauvignon producers in the Pacific Northwest by Andy Perdue's recently published "Northwest Wine Guide".

Since we produced only one wine from the 2001 vintage, we will also be selling a small quantity of wine from our library of older vintages during our annual open house on Saturday, November 8th from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!

To your health!

Dave and Cecile Larsen



Soos Creek 2001 Vintage Order Form

Prices include shipping and 15% discount for orders received on or before November 8, 2003. Sales tax is included for Wa. State residents

Artist Series #1	<u>Pickup</u> At Winery	<u>Mail Order</u>		<u>Total</u>
		<u>Wa. Residents</u>	<u>Out of State</u>	
12 (1 case)	\$299.64	\$321.74	\$303.10	
6	\$149.82	\$166.42	\$159.90	
3	\$ 74.91	\$ 89.61	\$ 86.25	
Total Order				\$ _____

Mail, or fax this order form and payment to: Soos Creek Wine Cellars 20404 140th Ave. S.E. Kent, Wa. 98042-3061; Fax: (253) 638-7029.

Your Shipping Address:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Credit Card Orders:

VISA/MC# _____ Expires: _____

Credit Card Signature (required): _____

Thank you for your order!