

SILVER MOUNTAIN

VINEYARDS

Premium Wine to Enhance the Quality of Life

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Message from the Winemaker, Jerold O'Brien

As the Spring Equinox passes, and light begins to overtake darkness, our awareness turns to emergence and transformation. A feeling of anticipation hangs in the air on Silver Mountain like fog on a chilly Spring morning. The sun warms the land and the clouds evaporate in tiny wisps that float away over the tree tops. Winter is a time of patience, but Spring is a time of action! Out in the vineyard the old growth has been pruned away and tiny buds emerge on naked vines. Down in the winery fermentation transforms last year's juice into next year's wine. On the grounds we're cleaning and organizing. The office bustles with activity as we explore new ideas and prepare for upcoming events.

Silver Mountain has a lot to look forward to this season. The Santa Cruz Mountains Winegrowers Association's spring PASSPORT DAY will be on 19 April. Silver Mountain will welcome visitors from 11am to 5pm to enjoy wine tasting, light hors d'oeuvres, live music and special discounts. We hope that you will come by, say hello and take the Silver Mountain experience home with you. *-Spring 2003*

Our Wine Online

OUR WEB ADDRESS HAS CHANGED ~ 2003 began with a jolt from around the world. On the 3rd of January our website went down and was replaced by an "Under Construction" page by Sergei of Russia who threatened to install a porn. site. While negotiating with the interlopers we shifted our website to a new address. Our new - and permanent - home on the internet is www.silvermtn.com and our e-mail is info@silvermtn.com.

KEEP IN TOUCH ~ The best way to let Silver Mountain know that you would like to receive our quarterly Newsletter and other Silver Mountain communications electronically is to join our **e-mail mailing list**. You can do this by visiting us on-line at www.silvermtn.com.

JOIN OUR TOP FLIGHT TASTERS PROGRAM and discover the pleasure that truly exquisite wine adds to your everyday life. TOP FLIGHT is designed to give members the opportunity to receive our highly acclaimed wines direct from the winery at value pricing.

Spring Events

19 April - PASSPORT DAY -- Silver Mountain Vineyards open house from 11am to 5pm: with wine tasting, vineyard and winery tours, live music, hors d'oeuvres and special discounts.

4 May - Santa Cruz Mountains Winegrowers Association - WINE WITH HEART - Grand wine tasting and auction at the Stanford University Faculty Club.

7 & 8 June - VINTNERS FESTIVAL - Two full days of wine tasting, art shows, live music, wonderful food and conviviality at Silver Mountain.

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New Gift Pack

Introducing the Silver Mountain SPRING GIFT PACK! Now you can share the Silver Mountain experience by sending your loved-ones Silver Mountain wines. Perfect for Easter, Mother's Day, Graduation or Father's Day, the Gift Pack includes three premium wines: 1999 Chardonnay, Estate Organically Grown, 1997 Alloy Bordeaux Blend, 1999 Zinfandel and a personalized gift card. This package, valued at nearly \$75, is now available for only \$49, including shipping.

Talk of the Town

"Silver Mountain wines receive kudos from wine lovers across the country:

"You hit the jackpot! Best I've tasted in years!"

Frank M., Garden City, SC

"Great taste... We really enjoy your wine."

Hannelove H., Newark, DE

"Excellent Chardonnay. Perfect with soft shell

Maryland Blue Crab."

Scott S., Allentown, PA

We welcome your input too! To tell us about your favorite Silver Mountain wine and food pairing e-mail us at info@silvermtn.com

Current Recommendations

These wines are available for purchase in our tasting room (when open) or on our website.

1999 Chardonnay, Estate organically grown

1998 Merlot, Santa Clara Valley

1999 Zinfandel, Sonoma County

1997 Alloy, our Bordeaux blend

For you or a friend... To correct address or request info please complete and return

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