



2006 Syrah, Central Coast

The Wine: 100% Syrah Alcohol: 14.6%

The Vineyards: Wiedeman Vineyard, Santa Clara Valley; Zayante Vineyard, Santa Cruz Mountains; Coast View Vineyard, Monterey County (Gavilan Mountains)

Tasting Notes: A rich, full-bodied Syrah, with brambly blackberry, dried blueberries, juniper and cola on the palate. Pepper, blackberry and cedar on the nose. This is a dense Syrah, and should benefit from continued bottle aging.

Winemaker's Notes:

Harvest dates: 26 September, 2006 from Wiedeman;
5 October from Zayante; 9 October from CoastView

Must analysis: Brix 25.4; PH 3.44; Acid 0.65

Not crushed, but destemmed; gravity fed through the entire process.

Fermentation: Whole berry; fermented in small containers; punchdown and drainover five times/day.

Barrels: 22 months; 80% in tight-grained Hungarian oak, 20% American oak

Bottling: Unfined and unfiltered.



About Silver Mountain Vineyards:

Visitors to Silver Mountain's mountaintop winery enjoy one of the most spectacular views in the Santa Cruz Mountains, looking out to Monterey Bay. Silver Mountain is known for its premium Pinot Noir, Chardonnay produced from its organically-farmed estate vineyard, and its Bordeaux blend Alloy. Handcrafted with a passion for quality, Silver Mountain's wines possess exquisite, complex flavors that are delicious now and also benefit from aging.

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