



**New Release  
Summer '06**

**THE GRAPE**

Grenache, noble Rhone varietal; the major component for the famed reds of France's Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Gigondas, Vacqueyras, and Côtes du Rhône...

**THE PLACE**

Monterey County, the ideal New World location for growing Rhone-style *vinifera* combining exceptional flavor, balance, and intensity...

**THE WINE**

Award-winning vintner Joel Burnstein's traditional small lot fermentations and French oak-aging beautifully marry rich Rhone character to lush Monterey fruit...

**TECHNICAL DATA**

Appellation .....	Monterey County
Vineyard .....	Wild Horse Road
Aging .....	French Oak, 14 Months
Total Acidity/pH .....	.62g/100ml /3.61
Residual Sugar .....	.03%
Alcohol .....	15.8%
Production .....	280 Cases
Release Date .....	Summer 05
Winery Retail .....	\$45



**WINEMAKER'S NOTES**

Marilyn Remark specializes in the varietals of France's Rhone Valley. The 2003 Grenache represents our third vintage working with this noble grape. The fruit for this limited wine came from the small Wild Horse Road Vineyard in southern Monterey County. The warmer temperatures of this district are perfect for achieving optimal ripening for Grenache. The grapes were hand harvested in October of 2004, averaging 26 degrees Brix. Fermentation was begun with traditional Rhone yeast. Malo-lactic conversion was induced via Viniflora. Aged fourteen months in small French cooperage.

This limited Grenache exhibits the power and finesse of the Rhone: varietal aromas of blueberries, plum, cherry, and spice give way to long-lived flavors of cherries and raspberries, wrapped in a framework of chocolate, cinnamon, and warm vanillin-oak. Sturdy tannins and bright acidity provide balance and ageability.

The '04 M.R. Grenache is amazingly food-versatile. Suggested pairings include roast fowl, lamb, and beef preparations, as well as flavorful cheeses and selected chocolate desserts. With proper cellaring, this special wine should drink well now through 2011.

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**Classic Rhone Varietals, Uniquely Monterey...**

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