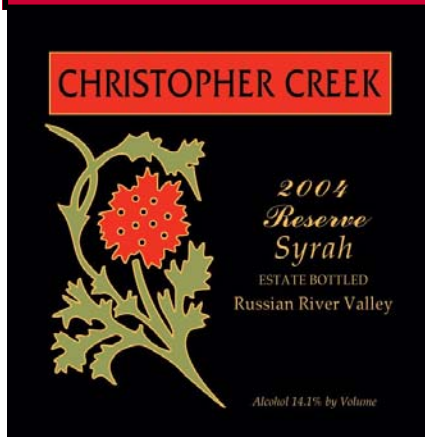




# Christopher Creek Winery

## 2004 Russian River Estate Bottled Reserve Syrah



The 2004 Estate Bottled Reserve Syrah was produced from a selection of barrels that showed the best aging potential. The wine reflects the exceptional quality of grapes grown on our hill-side estate vineyard at the winery.

The color is dark violet and the aromas range from cherry to blackberry with peppery and smokey accents. On the palate, the wine is rich and balanced with a long, jammy finish. Drinkable now, this wine will nevertheless mature gracefully over the next 8-to-10 years, as the generous tannins soften.

Versatile with food, Syrah pairs well with grilled red meat dishes, duck, Mediterranean-style food (olive oil, garlic, rosemary and thyme are its friends), as well as spicy food and cheese.

**SILVER MEDAL-Tasters Guild International, May 2006**

**SILVER MEDAL- "North of the Gate" Wine Competition (SAVOR WINE MAGAZINE), May 2006**

**2003 Vintage**

**SILVER MEDAL- Sonoma County Harvest Fair, September 2005**

**2002 Vintage**

**SILVER MEDAL-Orange County Fair, June 2004**

**2001 Vintage**

**GOLD MEDAL- Florida State Fair, January 2004**

**SILVER MEDAL- San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, January 2004**

**SILVER MEDAL- Pacific Rim International Wine Competition, April 2004**

**2000 Vintage**

**Best of Class, Gold Medal- Jerry Mead's New World Wine Competition, March 2003**

**Gold Medal- Florida State Fair, January 2004**

**Silver Medal-Sonoma County Harvest Fair, September 2002**

**Silver Medal-Florida State Fair Wine Competition, February 2003**

**1999 Vintage**

**"91" Australian-California Shootout, August 2001, San Francisco, CA**

**Harvested September 2004— 2.9 tons/acre**

**Aged in French Oak Barrels**

**300 Cases Produced**

**Released August 2006**

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