



## **Silver Creek 2005 Merlot**

Silver Creek flowed through our family's vineyard in the hills south of San Jose, California. It took its name from stands of oak trees that lined the creek bed, whose new growth each year took on a silvery cast. A few feet from Silver Creek stood the family winery, established in the 1880's. We chose Silver Creek as the name of our premium wines because it reflects our decades of winemaking experience, and our commitment to producing fine wines in the best California tradition.



### **Winemaker's Notes**

Residual Sugar:	0.5%
Alcohol:	13.0%
Acid:	0.62gr/100ml
pH:	3.52

### **Tasting Notes**

Our vintage Merlot is a beautiful deep ruby red color. This medium-bodied wine carries a cedary vanilla overlay to the ripe currant and plum flavors. The light tannins flow smooth, spicy, and supple. This Merlot pairs great with cheeses, pasta, red meat, lamb, and dessert.

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