



**2004 Syrah
Napa Valley**

Harvest Dates:	8/18, 9/4 and 9/22
Grape Source:	Naggiar Vineyard, Delouise Vineyard & Wilson Vineyard
Blend:	94% Syrah and 6% Viognier
Harvest Brix:	26.6°, 28.2° and 28.5°
Maceration:	16 day native-yeast open bin fermentation
Aging:	22 months in French oak (30% new)
pH:	3.89
TA:	0.52 g/100mL
Alcohol:	14.6%
Production:	318 cases, 750 ml 200 cases, 375 ml
Release Date:	September 2007

Tasting Notes:

Our 2004 Syrah is deep garnet colored, with an enticing nose of orange peel, lavender, and tropical fruits along with hints of mesquite-like smoke and bacon fat. This medium bodied wine shows vibrant flavors of plum, cranberries and wild black fruits with a touch of creamy vanilla and white pepper. The lively yet round mouthfeel leads to firm tannins and a seductively long finish.

Try this with roast meats, cheeses and pastas or just about anything off the grill.

This wine will age nicely for 7 – 12 years.