



**MURRIETA'S  
WELL**



*Unforgettable Estate  
Blends from California's  
Livermore Valley*

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## Los Tesoros de Joaquín

### 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon

#### VINEYARDS

Our 92-acre estate was first planted in 1884 and is sustainably farmed and hand-harvested. The climate of the Livermore Valley is similar to the climate of Bordeaux, and the Murrieta's Well Estate benefits from its own unique microclimate within this area.

#### WINE STYLE

Both the Cabernet Sauvignon and the Petit Verdot were fermented in individual 1-ton bins and punched down twice daily.

#### FLAVOR PROFILE

Cabernet Sauvignon is an important varietal at Murrieta's Well, providing the backbone of our Red Meritage. Blended with 12% Petit Verdot, the 2005 Los Tesoros release has wonderful aromas of dark chocolate and blackberry with a hint of mint, followed by cherry, balanced tannins and a black fruit finish.

#### VARIETALS

88% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Petit Verdot

#### AGING

The Cabernet Sauvignon completed malolactic fermentation in barrel and aged for 20 months. The Petit Verdot completed malolactic fermentation in barrel and aged for 17 months.

<b>ALCOHOL</b>	14.0%
<b>TOTAL ACIDITY</b>	0.61 g/100ml
<b>PH</b>	3.78
<b>RESIDUAL SUGAR</b>	Dry

#### THE WINERY

Murrieta's Well is named after the legendary gold rush-era desperado, Joaquin Murrieta, who camped by the artesian well on the property on his way to Mexico to sell wild horses. As Joaquin traveled throughout California rounding up horses to bring back to Mexico, he also searched for treasures to share with his family and friends. Today we continue this tradition of discovery with the wines of Los Tesoros- the treasures. Los Tesoros wines are sold only at Murrieta's Well winery and are selected by the founders Sergio Traverso and Philip Wente as true riches of the Livermore Valley.