



RUSACK

Santa Ynez Valley

SANGIOVESE

2005

ALC. 14.3% BY VOL.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Vintage:	2005
Varietal:	Sangiovese
Appellation:	Santa Ynez Valley
Grower/Ranch:	78% Stolpman Vineyard, 22% Rusack Vineyard
Produced and Bottled by:	Rusack Vineyards, Solvang California
Bottling Date:	August 17, 2006
Cases Produced:	417
Bottle Size:	750ml
Retail Price:	\$32.00 per bottle
Release Date:	September 1, 2006

Winemakers Tasting Notes: The great grape of the Chianti region of Italy, Sangiovese grows exceptionally well on the hillside slopes of Santa Barbara County's Ballard Canyon vineyards. Our 2005 Rusack Sangiovese is a great example of a California style version of this Italian gem. Fruit forward and well balanced with aromas and flavors of raspberries, currants, maple syrup and cocoa. Sangiovese is well known for its food pairing versatility and pairs well with grilled fish, pork and wild game.

Optimum Storage Conditions: Constant temperature, 55-58° F, darkness.
Aging Potential: To enjoy young fruit aromas, consume within 1-3 years of bottling date. For extended aging under ideal conditions, consume within 3-7 years of bottling date.

Fermentation: Fermented in 1 ton macro bins.
Aging: 29% new French oak for 9 months.

Bottle Analysis: Alcohol: 14.30%
pH: 3.42
TA: 0.713 g/100 ml

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