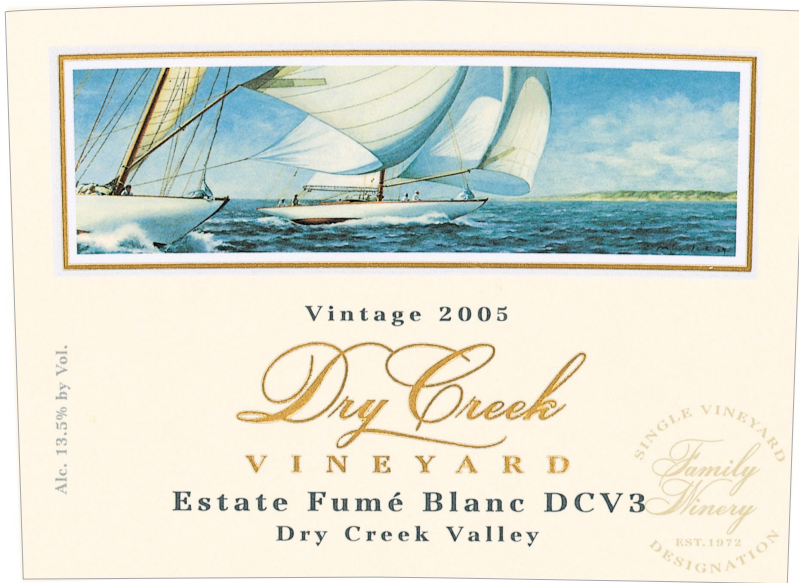


2005 ESTATE FUMÉ BLANC DCV3 – DRY CREEK VALLEY



TOP 5 SAUVIGNON BLANC
Quarterly Review of Wines

87 Points
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Paul Lukacs

EXCEPTIONAL
Dan Berger's Vintage Experiences

GRAPES 100% Sauvignon Blanc

APPELLATION 100% Dry Creek Valley

PRODUCTION 565 cases

HARVEST August 5, 2005

FERMENTATION Cold fermented in stainless steel at 52° F for 30 days

ALCOHOL 13.5%

TOTAL ACIDITY 0.79

PH 3.42

RESIDUAL SUGAR Dry

WINEMAKER COMMENTS

There are certain vineyards in California that have an unmistakable charm and mystique. DCV3 is one such vineyard. This unique place lays claim to the first Sauvignon Blanc planting in the Dry Creek Valley. On the palate, lemon peel, grapefruit, and herbal flavors are followed by bright acidity and steely, mineral notes. The finish is long lasting, never dull. This is a distinctive wine from a very special place in the Dry Creek Valley.



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