

Longoria

GRAND TASTE VIN ORDER

November 2008

A NOTE FROM RICK

WE END THE YEAR'S GRAND TASTE VIN ORDER shipment with two of our finest bottlings; 2006 Tempranillo and 2006 Evidence. Unlike in 2005, when both wines shared the vintage characteristics of opulence, this year's Evidence shows the vintage's coolness with a subtle, elegant version, while the Tempranillo goes against the vintage by being another super rich, hedonistic blockbuster of a wine. In addition, we are sending a library selection of the very first Evidence, the 2000 vintage.

Enjoy a bottle of each wine soon so you can decide how many bottles to order for your cellar. You may want to host a vertical tasting with the 2000 and 2006 Evidence bottlings to compare the two. Because the 2000 Evidence is a library wine, we only have six

cases available for our GTO Members to order.

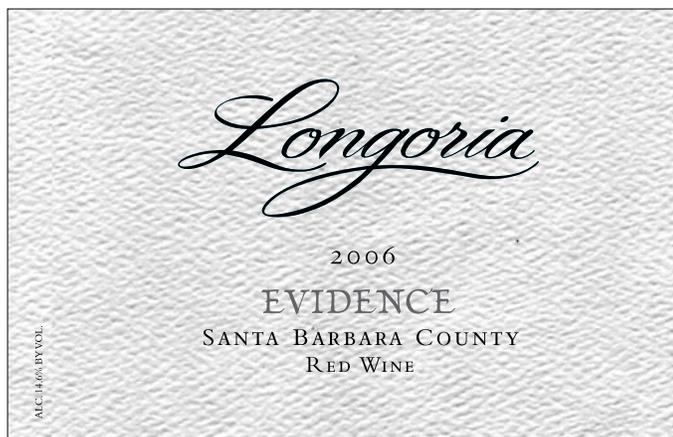
For those fans of our 2005 Syrah-Vino Dulce, port-style wine, I should let you know that we are approaching the end of our supply. You may want to place your order for the upcoming winter evenings and holiday gatherings before we sell out.

Finally, Diana and I and all of our employees at Longoria Wines want to thank you for your continued support and patronage during these uncertain economic times. I believe that the upcoming holidays give us a chance to focus on the blessings of family and friends and everything we have to be thankful for. We can carry that optimism into the New Year.

— Rick Longoria, Winemaker



RICK'S WINEMAKER NOTES



2006 EVIDENCE

Santa Barbara County - Bordeaux-Style Blend

THE RELATIVELY MILD GROWING SEASON in 2006 allowed for a long maturation period for the grapes that went into this year's Evidence blend. Three of the four grapes were harvested within five days of November 1st, which is a late harvest for our area. This year's wine is a more equitable blend of the three primary varietals with Malbec again playing a minor role.

The wine has an opaque dark ruby color. The aromas are an exotic blend of cherries, raspberries, sandalwood and cedar. The highest level of Cabernet Sauvignon used so far in our blend is evident in the aromas as well. On the palate the wine is medium bodied with flavors of berries and spices and a hint of toasted oak. The texture is dominated by fine grained tannins which are further accentuated by the acidity of the wine. This wine impresses with its subtlety, finesse and the promise of what a few years of bottle aging will bring.

Enjoy this wine with rich foods such as prime rib and wild game such as turkey, quail and duck. This is definitely a wine to collect and open periodically over the next six to ten years. While the 2005 vintage produced a bigger, more hedonistic version of our Evidence, this 2006 vintage more closely resembles the elegant wines from Bordeaux.

COMPOSITION:

Cabernet Franc - Alisos Vineyard (36%)

Cabernet Sauvignon - Estelle Vineyard (36%)

Merlot - Alisos Vineyard (24%)

Malbec - Barnwood Vineyard (4%)

PRODUCTION: 136 cases

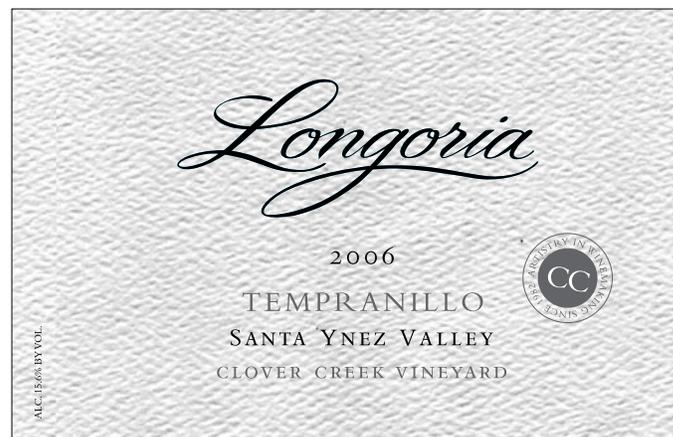
ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 14.6%

pH: 3.55

TITRATABLE ACIDITY: 0.67 g/100 ml.

CELLARING POTENTIAL: Six to ten years

BOTTLE PRICE: \$42.00



2006 TEMPRANILLO

Santa Ynez Valley - Clover Creek Vineyard

AS IN 2005, THE TEMPRANILLO grapes at Clover Creek Vineyard enjoyed a long maturation period with the grapes being harvested on October 30th at a very ripe 26.5 Brix. We fermented grapes in small open top fermenters and conducted a relatively short fermentation of eight days. The wine was pressed off, settled and racked to 100% American oak barrels of which 35% were new.

The wine is a dark ruby/purple color. The aromas are a mixture of ripe black currants, blackberries and vanillin. The wine's texture on the palate is rich, velvety and smooth with very little tannin. The flavors of blackberries and raspberries are rich and jammy. The American oak is well integrated with the flavors yet provides a moderate amount of toasted oak on the finish.

This 2006 Tempranillo may even exceed the blockbuster 2005 bottling. Though the alcohol is definitely on the high side, there seems to be abundant flavor and rich texture to balance it so that it does not seem hot.

A nice accompaniment with this wine would be beef bourguignon or tender pork with Mexican mole sauce.

COMPOSITION:

Tempranillo - Clover Creek Vineyard (94%)

Malbec - Barnwood Vineyard (3%)

Syrah - Alisos Vineyard (2%)

Cabernet Sauvignon - Estelle Vineyard (1%)

PRODUCTION: 225 cases

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 15.6%

pH: 3.50

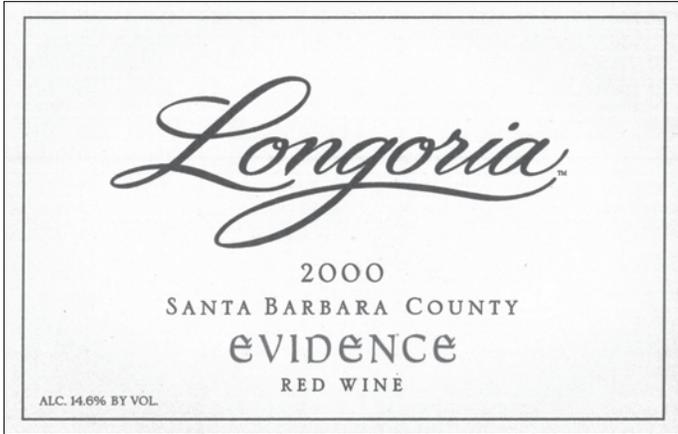
TITRATABLE ACIDITY: 0.59 g/100 ml.

CELLARING POTENTIAL: Three to five years

BOTTLE PRICE: \$40.00

LIBRARY RELEASE

UPCOMING EVENTS



2000 EVIDENCE

Santa Barbara County - Bordeaux-Style Blend

IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE that we re-release a limited amount of our first bottling of Evidence. When we released the wine in October 2003, I wrote that the wine, "does exhibit some tannins which will need four to six years of additional bottle aging to round out." We are now at the five year point in that estimate, and though the wine is considerably mellower, the remaining tannins could use another two to four years to fully integrate with the wine. I chose to send our GTO Club Members a bottle of our 2000 Evidence to give them the opportunity to see what five years of age has done to the wine.

It was and still is a very harmonious wine with all four grape varieties working in tandem so that no one varietal stands out. This is a very elegant, refined Bordeaux-style blend. It would show very well against its counterparts from Bordeaux, and I would encourage Members to have fun and include this wine in a blind tasting with wines from France. We would love to hear your experiences.

COMPOSITION:

Cabernet Franc (45%)

Malbec (30%)

Merlot (20%)

Cabernet Sauvignon (5%)

PRODUCTION: 77 cases on original release, 6 cases left

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 14.6%

pH: 3.53

TITRATABLE ACIDITY: 0.66 g/100 ml.

CELLARING POTENTIAL: Two to four more years

BOTTLE PRICE: \$54.00

REMINDER

GTO Members will have 30 days after receiving their shipment to order any of these wines. Any remaining wine will then become available to the main Club.

Olde Fashioned Christmas - Los Olivos

Saturday, December 6th 4 to 7 pm

Revive childhood excitement on the quaint streets of Los Olivos as we celebrate Olde Fashioned Christmas. The streets will be adorned with luminaries and the smell of popcorn and roasted walnuts wafting through the evening air. Local merchants will welcome guests with open house events and refreshments. Olde Fashioned Christmas is a romantic return to small town holiday celebration. For more information call (805) 688-1222 or (805) 693-1233

Our Tasting Room Will be Closed for the Following Holidays

Thanksgiving - Thursday, November 27th, 2008

Christmas Eve - Wednesday, December 24th, 2008

Christmas Day - Thursday, December 25th, 2008

New Years Day - Thursday, January 1st, 2009

HOLIDAY GIFT PACKS

The holidays are approaching and what better gift to give than wine? Check our website at www.longoriawine.com or give us a call at 866-RLWINES to find out more about our specially priced holiday gift packs. All prices include Wine Club Member discounts.

Holiday Party Pack - \$28

One bottle each: 2007 Pinot Grigio and 2005 Hoo Doo Red

White Christmas - \$35

One bottle each: 2007 Pinot Grigio and 2007 Albariño

Spanish Holiday - \$50

One bottle each: 2007 Albariño and 2005 Tempranillo

Christmas Blues - \$50

One bottle each: 2000 Blues Cuvée and 2006 Blues Cuvée

Stars of the Santa Rita Hills - \$75

One bottle each: 2006 Chardonnay, Cuvée Diana and 2006 Pinot Noir, Fe Ciega Vineyard

2006 Pinot Noir Collection - \$150

One bottle of 2006 Pinot Noir from each of these vineyards: Fe Ciega, Rancho Santa Rosa, Sanford & Benedict, and Bien Nacido

GRAND TASTEVIN ORDER NOVEMBER 2008 ORDER FORM

Order online today at www.longoriawine.com, email info@longoriawine.com, fax 805-688-2676, or phone 866-RLWINES to purchase Longoria wines.

This shipment contains two bottles of the 2006 Tempranillo, Clover Creek Vineyard, and one bottle each of the 2006 Evidence, Santa Barbara County and the 2000 Evidence, Santa Barbara County.

The total cost for this shipment is \$176.28, inclusive of 15% discount, packaging, shipping and sales tax when applicable.

NEW AND LIBRARY RELEASES	BOTTLE PRICE	15% DISCOUNT	20% DISCOUNT	QTY	AMOUNT
2006 Evidence, Santa Barbara County	\$42.00	\$35.70	\$33.60	_____	_____
2006 Tempranillo, Clover Creek Vineyard	\$40.00	\$34.00	\$32.00	_____	_____
2000 Evidence, Santa Barbara County	\$54.00	\$45.90	\$43.20	_____	_____

CURRENT RELEASES	BOTTLE PRICE	15% DISCOUNT	20% DISCOUNT	QTY	AMOUNT
2007 Pinot Grigio, Santa Barbara County	\$19.00	\$16.15	\$15.20	_____	_____
2007 Albariño, Clover Creek Vineyard	\$26.00	\$22.10	\$20.80	_____	_____
2006 Chardonnay, Cuvée Diana	\$40.00	\$34.00	\$32.00	_____	_____
2007 Cuvée June, Santa Barbara County	\$22.00	\$18.70	\$17.60	_____	_____
2006 Pinot Noir, Bien Nacido Vineyard	\$45.00	\$38.25	\$36.00	_____	_____
2006 Pinot Noir, Sanford & Benedict Vineyard	\$45.00	\$38.25	\$36.00	_____	_____
2006 Pinot Noir, Fe Ciega Vineyard	\$54.00	\$45.90	\$43.20	_____	_____
2005 Hoo Doo Red, Santa Barbara County	\$16.00	\$13.60	\$12.80	_____	_____
2006 Blues Cuvée, Santa Barbara County	\$28.00	\$23.80	\$22.40	_____	_____
2005 Syrah, Alisos Vineyard	\$38.00	\$32.30	\$30.40	_____	_____
2005 Syrah, Clover Creek Vineyard	\$32.00	\$27.20	\$25.60	_____	_____
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2005 Tempranillo, Clover Creek Vineyard	\$40.00	\$34.00	\$32.00	_____	_____
2005 Syrah, <i>Vino Dulce</i> Port-Style Wine (375 ml)	\$22.00	\$18.70	\$17.60	_____	_____

POSTERS

Blues Cuvée Litho (unsigned) \$15.00 / \$12.75 WINE CLUB **AMOUNT**
 ___ Kuder (93/94) ___ Burridge (95/96) ___ Walsh(97/98) ___ Jaess (99/00) ___ Dysinger (01/02) ___ Seco (03/04) ___ Jones (05/06) _____

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WINE CLUB MEMBER DISCOUNT

15% ON 1-11 BOTTLES; 20% ON 12 BOTTLES OR MORE!

CREDIT CARD: VISA MASTERCARD

CARD NUMBER: _____ EXP. DATE: _____

NAME ON CARD: _____ SIGNATURE: _____

(Must be 21 years of age)

BILL TO:

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

SHIP TO: *(If different than above)*

NAME: _____ COMPANY: _____

SHIPPING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

DAYTIME PHONE: () _____

SUBTOTAL _____

DISCOUNT _____

CA SHIPPING & PKG _____

7.75% CA SALES TAX _____

TOTAL _____

CALIFORNIA SHIPPING RATES

2 btls \$10.00; 4 btls \$14.00

6 btls \$16.00; 12 btls \$22.00

Lithograph/Poster \$5.00

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