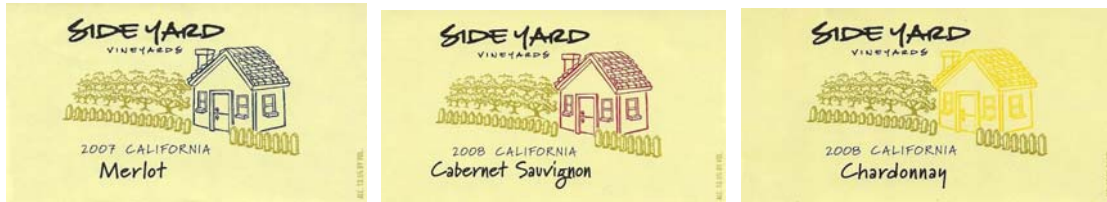


Side Yard Wines



Chardonnay 2011

This 100% Chardonnay is from California with 1/3 of the blend coming from Paso Robles. It was tank fermented cool with no barrel aging, to emphasis the fresh fruit flavors. The wine opens with floral aromas, tangerine and cinnamon. Juicy tangerine flavors open the wine through mid-palate with a slight honey tasty finish.

Merlot 2010

Half of the blend on this Merlot is sourced from California's North Coast from Mendocino and Suisun, with a 1/3 from California. Also blended in this Merlot is a small amount of Zinfandel, Sangiovese and Syrah. This Merlot was stored for 24 months in French and American Oak. Ripe berry and jam aromas greet you up front with a light toasty cinnamon nuances. Plum and berry compote flavors show up front to mid-palate, with lingering fruit and cassis flavors that finish with soft tannins.

Cabernet Sauvignon 2011

Majority of this wine is California Cabernet, blended with small amounts of North Coast Zinfandel, North Coast Sangiovese, and North Coast Syrah. It was aged for 30 months in French and American Oak. Aromas of blueberry, cocoa and cassis greet you up front that lead to aromas of smoked bacon. Opening flavors of crushed berries and cassis lead to a slight cocoa powder on the lingering finish.