



## 2007 Martin Ray Napa-Sonoma-Mendocino Counties Cabernet Sauvignon

88 POINTS

“Appealingly pure, ripe plum, blackberry and black cherry fruit is supple, balanced, full-bodied and persistent, ending with cedary notes. Drink now through 2015.”

–J.L., *Wine Spectator*, June 15, 2010 issue



**2006 Martin Ray  
Napa-Sonoma-Mendocino  
Counties Cabernet Sauvignon**

**GOLD MEDAL WINNER**

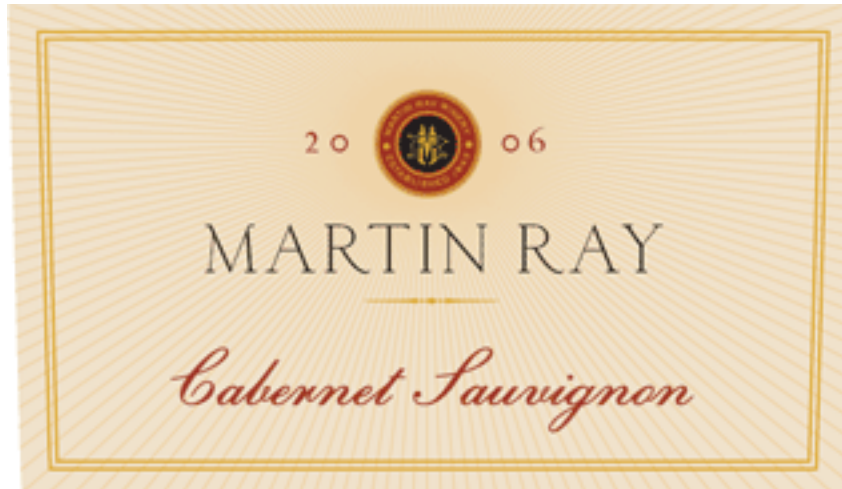
2009 Dallas Morning News Wine Competition



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“Martin Ray has done a great job combining vineyards from multiple counties to produce this supple, polished, affordable Cabernet Sauvignon. With some Merlot and Cab Franc for complexity, it has flavors of black currants, cherries and smoky oak, and is fully ready to drink now.”

– *S.H., Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 15, 2008 issue



***2002 Martin Ray  
Napa-Mendocino-Santa Clara Counties  
Cabernet Sauvignon***

**84** “Ripe in fruity flavor, a bit sharp and rustic, this wine brims with blackberry jam, cola, chocolate and coffee. The best part is the tannin structure, which is smooth and rich.”

– S.H., *Wine Enthusiast*, December 15, 2006

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***2002 Martin Ray  
Napa-Mendocino-Santa Clara Counties  
Cabernet Sauvignon***

**84** “Moderate in volume, rich in creamy oak but slightly thin in fruit and carrying a foresty background note in its aromas.”

– *Connoisseur’s Guide*, December 2006

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***2002 Martin Ray  
Napa-Mendocino-Santa Clara Counties  
Cabernet Sauvignon***

**86** “The succulent black cherry flavor of this wine tastes like cabernet, while the tender texture is more in keeping with merlot. A sweetly ripe style for juicy burgers.”

– *Wine & Spirits Magazine*, December 2006

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***2002 Martin Ray  
Napa-Mendocino-Santa Clara Counties  
Cabernet Sauvignon***

“Medium bodied with aromas and flavors of plum, cherry, and dark fruit; soft finish. Beef stew.”

– *Santé Magazine*, November 2006

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***2002 Martin Ray  
Napa-Mendocino-Santa Clara  
Counties Cabernet Sauvignon***

“It shows vanilla, smoky oak, cherry and currant on the nose. All repeat as juicy flavors with the addition of slightly tart raspberry and a significant amount of tannin before a long, medium-broad finish with lingering smoky oak. Well balanced, structured, and integrated. Tasty.”

– *The Colorado Wine News*, Oct-Dec 2006

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# Wine Spectator

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## *Top Value California Cabernets*

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***Top Value!***

**87 POINTS! MARTIN RAY CABERNET  
SAUVIGNON NAPA-MENDOCINO-SANTA CLARA  
COUNTIES 2004 \$20**

Trim and well-structured, with an austere band  
of earth and mineral-laced dried currant,  
anise and sage.—*J.L.*

88 Honig Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2003 \$35

88 Robert Mondavi Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2003 \$25

*James Laube's  
Recommended  
California  
Cabernets*

**November 14, 2006**





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**87** "Strikes a good balance with its tight, firm band of earthy currant, herb, sage and cedar notes. Fans of taut, austere Cabernets will find this especially pleasing, and the price is quite good for a wine of this quality. Best from 2006 through 2011. 8,300 cases made."

- J.L., *Wine Spectator*, June 30th

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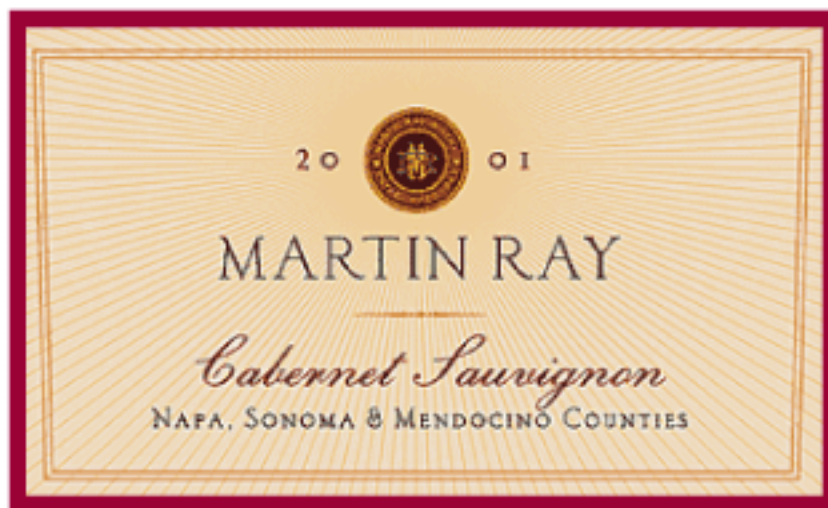
# WINE ENTHUSIAST

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**87** "This is a good, rich Cabernet, rather generic in style, which is to say it's dry and ripe in black curant fruit, well-oaked, and with fine, dusty tannins. Drink now."

- *Wine Enthusiast* Buying Guide,  
October 2005

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“It shows blackberry and oak on the nose before smooth flavors of cherry, blackberry, black raspberry, spice, and oak plus light, fine tannin. Everything carries through the long, medium-broad finish. Well balanced, structured and integrated. Tasty. Good value.”

- *The Colorado Wine News*, July-September 2005



“Full bodied with blackberry, spice and earth and a short finish. Beef ribs.”

– *Santé Magazine*, Holiday issue 2005

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“This mélange of cabernet grapes from Napa , Sonoma and Mendocino counties is a masterpiece of blending and a worthy homage to the late Martin Ray, a pioneer of the California wine revolution who died in 1976. This is no blockbuster but a very elegant style of cabernet, with vibrant, penetrating flavors of black cherry, black currant, blueberry and chocolate. An impressive bargain, it makes for delightful drinking now but has the structure to age well for up to a decade. Serve with red meat or pasta.”

– New York, *The Post-Star* April 20, 2005

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*2000 Martin Ray 'Mariage'  
Napa-Sonoma-Mendocino Counties  
Cabernet Sauvignon*

# Wine Spectator

*“Smart Buy”*

**87** "Well-crafted, rich and concentrated, with a complex array of currant, mocha, plum and black cherry. Fullbodied and tightly wound, it finishes with a burst of fruit and ripe, firm tannins. Best from 2005 through 2010. From California. 7,000 cases made."

— J.L., Wine Spectator, July 23, 2004