

# 2002 MERITAGE

Dry Creek Valley

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VINEYARD

## FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- Pioneer producer of Meritage (1985 was the first vintage).
- Dry Creek Valley appellation status.
- Taste the competition: DCV Meritage rivals those priced as much as 3 or 4 times more.
- Our Meritage fits perfectly into by-the-glass programs.

**PRODUCTION:**

6,800 cases

**GRAPES:**

49% Cabernet Sauvignon

44% Merlot

4% Petit Verdot

3% Cabernet Franc

**APPELLATION:**

Dry Creek Valley

**BARREL AGING:**

24 months in French and American oak

**ALCOHOL:** 13.5%

**TOTAL ACIDITY:** 0.69

**PH:** 3.56



**NEW  
RELEASE**



■ *"Our commitment to Meritage dates back more than 20 years. As a founding member of the Meritage Association, I firmly believe this "winemaker's art" form will continue to thrive as new wineries discover the joy of blending traditional Bordeaux varietals."*

—Dave Stare, Founder

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