



Dry Creek
VINEYARD



TAYLOR'S VINEYARD MUSQUÉ
DRY CREEK VALLEY - SONOMA COUNTY
2010 SAUVIGNON BLANC
SINGLE VINEYARD SERIES



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2009 TAYLOR'S VINEYARD MUSQUÉ – *Dry Creek Valley*

WINE REVIEW ONLINE.COM
October 2011

90 Points - Suppler, with a more viscous texture than other Dry Creek Sauvignons, this wine tastes almost tropical, with flavors reminiscent of papaya, guava, and ripe melon rather than more typical citrus fruits. At the same time, it's fresh and lively, so very refreshing. With a clean, crisp finish, it's a delight to drink.

2006 TAYLOR'S VINEYARD MUSQUÉ – *Dry Creek Valley*

CONNOISSEURS' GUIDE
TO CALIFORNIA WINE
February 2009

91 Points - ☼☼ **Two Puffs** - Equally fixed in the nose on green figs and defined grassiness, this well-fruited youngster impresses with its sense of substance on the palate, and it sports a deft bit of rich oak. It is medium-full bodied and fairly long at the finish, and its scant edge of coarseness becomes a non-issue when matched up with the likes of garlicky steamed mussels or savory, herbed-chicken preparations.

CALIFORNIA GRAPEVINE
December 2008 – January 2009

“Highly Recommended!” - Medium-light golden yellow; attractive, floral, mineral and tropical fruit aroma with hints of gooseberry and honeysuckle; medium-full to full body; rounded, tropical fruit flavors; well balanced; slightly harsh on the finish; lingering aftertaste.

RESTAURANT WINE
December 2008

★★★★ - 4½ Stars - Fine Sauvignon, in a luscious, fruity style. It is full bodied, very supple, and very long on the palate, with a finish that resonates of peach, baked pear, and green apple, with modest lemon grass overtones.

2005 TAYLOR'S VINEYARD MUSQUÉ – *Dry Creek Valley*

WINE SPECTATOR
August 2007

87 Points - Refreshing, with floral, spicy mint flavors that are taut and complex, with a mix of mineral, green apple, melon and grass notes. Drink now.

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August 2007

88 Points - ☼ **One Puff** - Muted elements of fresh grasses and green herbs keep this bottling varietally true, but its main message is one of juicy, mildly flowery, kiwi-like fruit, and it is made more attractive still by its open architecture and wonderfully smooth, well-balanced feel. It is bright and alive and wholly enjoyable now, and its fruity richness commends it to service with flavorful chicken preparations.