



2008 WINE COMPETITION AWARDS

2008

Select Highlights:

- ◆ 86 Gold / Double Gold or Best of Class medals awarded in 2008
- ◆ Ranked 4th in total Gold Medals won in the top 21 wine competitions among all domestic wineries. www.americangoldmedalwines.com, *American Gold Medal Wines, 2007 edition*, Clarissa Elgarten
- ◆ Awarded 5 Jefferson Cup Nominees, 5 Examples of Greatness and 9 Certificates of Merit in the 2008 Jefferson Cup Invitational Wine Competition, founded by Doug Frost MS, MW
- ◆ 5 Best of Class Gold medals and 7 Gold medals awarded in 2008 for Strawberry
- ◆ Awarded Gold medal for "Best Label Series" 2008 Pacific Rim International Competition
- ◆ 423 medals awarded in prestigious wine competitions in 2007
- ◆ Eastern US Winery of the Year, 2007 Critics Challenge Wine Competition
- ◆ Awarded one of the Top 10 Hottest Small Brands of 2005 by *Wine Business Monthly*. (Feb, 2006)

Velvet Red

- GOLD – Grand Harvest
- SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
- SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
- SILVER – Indy International
- SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
- SILVER – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
- SILVER – Lone Star International
- SILVER – Amenti Del Vino
- SILVER – Tasters Guild International
- SILVER – Riverside International
- SILVER – Florida State Fair
- SILVER – New World International
- SILVER – Finger Lakes International
- BRONZE – Mid America
- BRONZE – San Francisco International
- BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
- BRONZE – Dallas Morning News

Velvet White

- GOLD – Lone Star International
- GOLD – Amenti Del Vino
- GOLD – Critics Challenge
- GOLD – Riverside International

SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER – San Francisco Chronicle
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – Finger Lakes International
SILVER – Grand Harvest
BRONZE – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – San Diego International
BRONZE – Pacific Rim International

Pink Catawba

GOLD – Mid America
GOLD – New World International
GOLD – Pacific Rim International
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – Amenti Del Vino
SILVER – Critics Challenge
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER – Riverside International
SILVER – Florida State Fair
SILVER – Monterey International
SILVER – Grand Harvest
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – Dallas Morning News

Country Red

BEST OF CLASS / DOUBLE GOLD – Indy International
DOUBLE GOLD / CHAIRMANS AWARD –Riverside International
GOLD –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
GOLD – Tasters Guild International
GOLD - Pacific Rim International
SILVER – Vino Challenge
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – Critics Challenge
SILVER – San Francisco Chronicle
SILVER – Florida State Fair
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – Grand Harvest
SILVER – Dallas Morning News
BRONZE – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – Tasters Guild International
BRONZE – Monterey International
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – San Diego International

Country White

GOLD – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
GOLD –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
GOLD – Florida State Fair
GOLD – San Diego International
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – San Francisco International
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – Grand Harvest
SILVER – Dallas Morning News
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – Mid America

BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – Monterey International
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – National Women’s

Friendship School White

GOLD – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
GOLD – Indy International
DOUBLE GOLD / BEST OF CLASS – International Eastern
GOLD – Amenti Del Vino
GOLD – New World International
GOLD – Grand Harvest
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER – Finger Lakes International
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
BRONZE – Mid America
BRONZE – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – San Diego International
BRONZE – Dallas Morning News

Friendship School Red

GOLD – New World International
GOLD – National Women’s
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER – International Eastern
SILVER – Riverside International
SILVER – San Francisco Chronicle
SILVER – Florida State Fair
SILVER – Grand Harvest
BRONZE – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
BRONZE – Mid America
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino
BRONZE – Tasters Guild International

BRONZE – Monterey International
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – San Diego International

Friendship School Blush

SILVER – New World International
BRONZE – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – Florida State Fair
BRONZE – Monterey International
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – Dallas Morning News

2006 VS Vignoles

GOLD – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
GOLD – New World International
GOLD – Pacific Rim International
SILVER – San Francisco Chronicle
SILVER – Florida State Fair
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – Grand Harvest
BRONZE – National Women's

2007 VS Vignoles

DOUBLE GOLD – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
BEST OF CLASS / DOUBLE GOLD – Indy International
GOLD – Missouri
GOLD – San Francisco International
GOLD – Lone Star International
SILVER – Vino Challenge
SILVER – Platte County
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER – Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – Amenti Del Vino
SILVER – Critics Challenge
SILVER – Riverside International
BRONZE – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
BRONZE – Tasters Guild International

2005 VS Seyval

SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition

SILVER – Platte County

SILVER – San Francisco International

SILVER – Lone Star International

SILVER – Amenti Del Vino

SILVER – Vino Challenge

BRONZE – Mid America

BRONZE – Tasters Guild International

BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle

BRONZE – Grand Harvest

2006 VS Seyval

SILVER – Dallas Morning News

BRONZE - Long Beach Grand Cru

2007 Seyval

BRONZE - Missouri

2005 Seyval

GOLD – Tasters Guild International

SILVER – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits

SILVER – Lone Star International

SILVER – Riverside International

SILVER – New World International

SILVER – Finger Lakes International

BRONZE – Vino Challenge

BRONZE – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition

BRONZE – Platte County

BRONZE - Long Beach Grand Cru

BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle

BRONZE – Florida State Fair

BRONZE – Grand Harvest

2005 Chardone

GOLD – Monterey International

SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition

SILVER – Indy International

SILVER – Critics Challenge

SILVER – Tasters Guild International

SILVER – New World International

SILVER – New World International
SILVER – National Women’s
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE - Long Beach Grand Cru
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – San Diego International
BRONZE –Riverside International

2005 Reserve Chardone

SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER – San Francisco International
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – Monterey International
SILVER – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – Tasters Guild International
BRONZE – Florida State Fair
BRONZE – Florida State Fair
BRONZE – New World International
BRONZE – Grand Harvest

2006 Reserve Chardone

SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Vino Challenge
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Critics Challenge
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – Platte County
BRONZE – Indy International
BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino

2006 Chardone

GOLD - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – Indy International

2005 Chambourcin

GOLD – Critics Challenge
SILVER – Vino Challenge
SILVER – San Francisco International
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
BRONZE - Missouri
BRONZE – Mid America
BRONZE – Indy International

2005 Cynthiana

SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – Mid America
BRONZE - Long Beach Grand Cru
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino

2004 Reserve Norton

DOUBLE GOLD/ BEST OF CLASS –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
DOUBLE GOLD – Tasters Guild International
GOLD – Vino Challenge
GOLD – Florida State Fair
GOLD - Pacific Rim International
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – Monterey International
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – Finger Lakes International

BRONZE - Missouri
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – Grand Harvest

2004 Norton

DOUBLE GOLD – Tasters Guild International
GOLD – Mid America
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Vino Challenge
SILVER – Platte County
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER – International Eastern
SILVER – San Francisco Chronicle
SILVER – Monterey International
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
BRONZE – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
BRONZE - Missouri
BRONZE – Mid America
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – Lone Star International
BRONZE – Florida State Fair
BRONZE – National Women’s

2005 Reserve Norton

SILVER – San Francisco Chronicle

Sparkling Blush

GOLD – Grand Harvest
SILVER – New World International
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – National Women’s

2005 Late Harvest Vignoles

DOUBLE GOLD – Amenti Del Vino
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – Platte County
BRONZE – Mid America

BRONZE - Long Beach Grand Cru
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – Florida State Fair
BRONZE – Monterey International
BRONZE – National Women’s

2005 Late Harvest Chardone

GOLD – Platte County
GOLD – Amenti Del Vino
GOLD – Critics Challenge
GOLD – New World International
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – San Francisco International
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER – Florida State Fair
SILVER – Monterey International
SILVER – Finger Lakes International
SILVER – National Women’s
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
BRONZE - Missouri
BRONZE –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – Grand Harvest
BRONZE – San Diego International

2006 Chardone Dessert Wine

GOLD – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
GOLD – Amenti Del Vino
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Platte County
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – Mid America
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – New World International

BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – Dallas Morning News
BRONZE - Pacific Rim International

2005 Velvet Port

GOLD – San Francisco Chronicle

2006 Concord Dessert Wine

BEST OF CLASS / DOUBLE GOLD – Indy International
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – Critics Challenge
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – San Diego International
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
BRONZE – Indy International
BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – Tasters Guild International
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International

2005 Norton Dessert Wine

DOUBLE GOLD / CHAIRMANS AWARD –Riverside International
GOLD – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
GOLD - Missouri
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – Amenti Del Vino
SILVER – International Eastern
SILVER – New World International
SILVER – Finger Lakes International
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
BRONZE – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – Platte County
BRONZE – Indy International
BRONZE - Long Beach Grand Cru
BRONZE – Tasters Guild International

BRONZE – San Diego International

BRONZE – Dallas Morning News

2005 Catawba Dessert Wine

CHAIRMAN'S BEST OF CLASS - Long Beach Grand Cru

SILVER – Mid America

SILVER – Amenti Del Vino

SILVER – International Eastern

SILVER – Tasters Guild International

SILVER – New World International

BRONZE – American Wine Society Commercial Competition

BRONZE – Vino Challenge

BRONZE – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition

BRONZE – Platte County

BRONZE - Missouri

BRONZE – Indy International

BRONZE – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits

BRONZE – San Diego International

BRONZE – Riverside International

Riesling

DOUBLE GOLD – Tasters Guild International

GOLD – Los Angeles Wine & Spirits

GOLD – Amenti Del Vino

GOLD – San Francisco Chronicle

GOLD – Monterey International

GOLD – San Diego International

SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition

SILVER – Indy International

SILVER – Mid America

SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru

SILVER – San Francisco International

SILVER – International Eastern

SILVER – Florida State Fair

SILVER – New World International

SILVER – Finger Lakes International

SILVER - Pacific Rim International

SILVER – Lone Star International

SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition

BRONZE – Vino Challenge

BRONZE - Missouri
BRONZE – Grand Harvest
BRONZE – National Women’s

Blackberry

GOLD – Vino Challenge
GOLD – Indy International
GOLD – Amenti Del Vino
GOLD – New World International
GOLD – Finger Lakes International
GOLD - Pacific Rim International
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER – International Eastern
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER –Riverside International
SILVER – Grand Harvest
SILVER – National Women’s
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE - Long Beach Grand Cru
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle
BRONZE – Dallas Morning News

Cherry

GOLD – National Women’s
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
SILVER – Lone Star International
SILVER – International Eastern
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER – San Francisco Chronicle
SILVER - Pacific Rim International
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
BRONZE – Vino Challenge
BRONZE – Indy International
BRONZE – Mid America
BRONZE – San Francisco International

BRONZE – Amenti Del Vino
BRONZE –Riverside International
BRONZE – Finger Lakes International
BRONZE – Dallas Morning News

Strawberry

BEST OF CLASS/BEST NON-GRAPE WINE IN NORTH AMERICA – Vino Challenge
CHAIRMAN’S BEST OF CLASS - Long Beach Grand Cru
DOUBLE GOLD / CHAIRMANS AWARD –Riverside International
BEST OF CLASS GOLD – San Francisco Chronicle
BEST OF CLASS GOLD - Pacific Rim International
GOLD – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
GOLD –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
GOLD – Amenti Del Vino
GOLD – Tasters Guild International
GOLD – New World International
GOLD – Finger Lakes International
GOLD – National Women’s
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER – Mid America
SILVER – Grand Harvest
SILVER – Dallas Morning News
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – San Francisco International
BRONZE – International Eastern

Peach

BEST OF CALSS / GOLD – Mid America
GOLD –Los Angeles Wine & Spirits
GOLD –Riverside International
SILVER – American Wine Society Commercial Competition
SILVER – Vino Challenge
SILVER – Tasters Guild Consumer Competition
SILVER – Indy International
SILVER - Long Beach Grand Cru
SILVER – San Francisco International
SILVER – Tasters Guild International
SILVER – Dallas Morning News
SILVER – Lone Star International
BRONZE – International Eastern
BRONZE – San Francisco Chronicle

BRONZE – New World International

BRONZE – Finger Lakes International

BRONZE – Grand Harvest

BRONZE - Pacific Rim International