



FLORA SPRINGS

WINERY & VINEYARDS

2002 TRILOGY

Appellation:
Napa Valley

Varietal Content:
50% Cabernet
Sauvignon,
29% Merlot,
13% Cabernet Franc,
4% Petit Verdot
and 4% Malbec

Release Date:
February 2005

Case Production:
7700

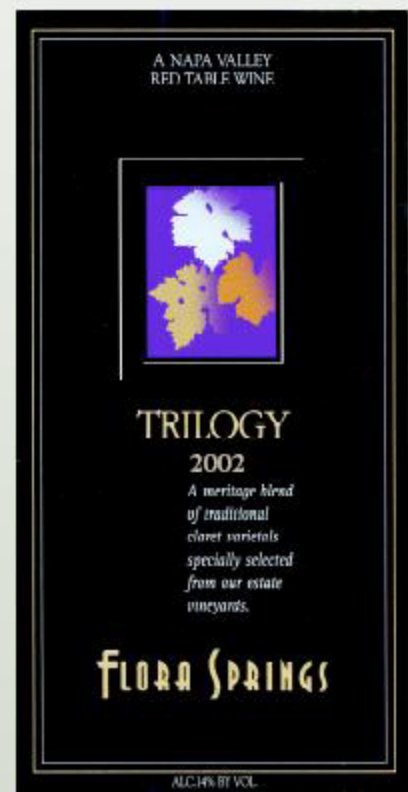
Barrel Aging:
20 months

The Vineyards

The grapes used in our Trilogy come primarily from the Komes Ranch estate vineyards surrounding the winery supplemented by grapes from the rest of our holding throughout Napa Valley. These vineyards provide wonderful diversity - the hillside vineyards and the valley floor vineyards offer the right variations in temperature, soil and types of vines to make an outstanding Bordeaux blend. The vineyards are in prime locations for growing rich and robust fruit of the Bordeaux varietals.

Winemaker's Notes

The 2002 vintage of Trilogy is the first year we have used all five Bordeaux varietals. The tannin structure of the wine is slightly firmer than the past couple of years and should add to the ageability of the wine over time. There is huge forward fruit of black cherry and cassis from the Cabernet Sauvignon, with a touch of raspberry from the Merlot, tobacco and cedar from the Cabernet Franc, the Petit Verdot adds a complex plummy character and the Malbec adds a ruby richness to pull it all together. This wine lingers on the palate and finishes beautifully.



THE VINEYARDS OF FLORA SPRINGS:

CROSSROADS RANCH - OAKVILLE

CYPRESS RANCH - POPE VALLEY

KOMES RANCH - RUTHERFORD AND ST. HELENA

LAVENDER HILL VINEYARD - CARNEROS

P & J VINEYARD - ST. HELENA

WINDFALL VINEYARD - RUTHERFORD

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