



THE ULTIMATE EXPRESSION OF FLAVOR

## Select Press Highlights

*Quarterly Review of Wines*, Summer issue TBD  
**2005 J. Lohr Hilltop Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**24<sup>th</sup> Annual "Best of the Best" in Cabernet Sauvignon**  
Of 124 Cabernets tasted blind, **2005 Hilltop** placed within the Top 10.

**Gold Medal** – 2008 KLRN San Antonio Wine Competition

*Wine Enthusiast*, October 2007 tasting panel  
**2004 J. Lohr Hilltop Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon**  
"A lush, sexy wine, this is the next step up the J. Lohr hierarchy from the Seven Oaks line." **90 Points**

*Wine News*, July 2007  
**2004 J. Lohr Hilltop Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon**  
"Subtle aromas of bramble berries, mocha and oak char. Chalky flavors of blueberry, milk chocolate and vanilla cream. Minerally finish features mixed berry notes." **91 Points**

**Double Gold Medal** – 2007 International Eastern Wine Competition  
**Gold Medal** – 2007 Los Angeles International Wine Competition  
**Gold Medal** – 2007 Alameda County Fair  
**Critics Gold Medal** – 2007 Critics Competition

*Wine Enthusiast*, October 2007 tasting panel  
**2005 J. Lohr Arroyo Vista Vineyard Chardonnay**  
"A crisp, fresh, medium-bodied Chardonnay, this is toasty and nutty but not overly vanilla-scented. Grilled peach and buttered sweet corn notes pick up citrus overtones that finish long and mouthwatering." **90 Points**

*California Grapevine*, August/September 2007  
**2005 J. Lohr Arroyo Vista Vineyard Chardonnay**  
"Medium-light golden yellow; forward, earthy, pear and green apple aroma, with hints of crème brûlée; medium-full body; rich, creamy, honeyed, pear and green apple flavors with overtones of vanilla; lingering aftertaste. **Highly recommended.**" **88 Points** – Dan Berger

**Gold Medal** – 2008 Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo  
**Critics Award** – 2007 Critics Challenge

*Food & Wine Magazine's Wine Guide 2008*  
**2003 J. Lohr Carol's Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**3 Stars – Excellent: Top-notch of its type**  
"Better-known for making wines in Monterey, J. Lohr has crafted a stunning Napa Cabernet with broad, assertive fruit flavors lightened by notes of flowers and minerals." – Jamal A. Rayyis



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*Wine Enthusiast*, November 1, 2007

**2003 J. Lohr Carol's Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon**

"..impresses for balance and power, suggesting cellaring. With its firm structure and deep core of cassis, blackberries, plums and anise, this wine should develop well over the next six to eight years." **90 Points** -- Steve Heimoff

*The Wine News*, June/July 2007

**2003 J. Lohr Carol's Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon**

"Powerful scents of black cherry and plum with additional complexities of oak, vanilla and cedar. Velvety tannins wrap around sweet flavors of Bing cherry and milk chocolate. Dusty impressions of powdered cocoa in the plum-driven nose." **92 Points**

**Critics Award** – 2007 Critics Challenge

*Quarterly Review of Wines*, April 1, 2008

**2006 J. Lohr Carol's Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc**

**"Savory Sauvignon Blanc: These five California beauties are well worth seeking out"**

"We decided to put together 37 of what we felt were the best Sauvignon Blanc available nationally at retailers and restaurants, and to do an in-house tasting.

**Top 5 Sauvignon Blanc: Recent Releases**

"The archetypal Sauvignon Blanc: spice, melon, ripe, apple, and gooseberry. Succulent. Lovely texture, earthy, rich with long finish. Lovely."

**Critics Award** – 2007 Critics Challenge

*Wine Enthusiast*, October 2007 tasting panel

**2005 J. Lohr October Night Vineyard Chardonnay**

"Nutty and melon-scented, this is a medium-bodied Chardonnay with distinct tangerine and spice components Lohr attributes to the 'Muscat clone' used in this wine. Finishes with a flourish of buttery richness."

**89 Points**

**Gold Medal** – 2007 California State Fair

*Wine Enthusiast*, October 2007 tasting panel

**2006 J. Lohr Late Harvest White Riesling**

"Sweet enough to be served as a dessert or with cheeses but not with dessert, this is a luscious, fruity wine that is simply delicious. A hint of apricot adds dimension to the superripe apple and pineapple flavors." **90 Points**