

KRUPP BROTHERS



2005 VERAISON MERLOT NAPA VALLEY

Winemaker's Tasting Notes A complex, layered nose with subtle aromas of sage, earth, blueberry, black olives, and cedary oak. The palate displays a combination of red berry fruits and earthy notes. Medium bodied with good mid-palate fleshiness, firm mountain tannins, and a long finish

Wine Information

Harvested October 27-31, 2005
Blend Merlot
Fermentation 6 day cold soak, 24 days on skins, indigenous yeast
Cooperage French Oak—Taransaud & Bossuet
Barrel Aging 16 months—85% new oak
Release Date October 1, 2008
Vineyard Krupp
Block(s): KVME1 & KVME2
Soil Deep red loam over clay
Exposure Gentle south facing
Elevation 1,450 ft above sea level
Production 440 cases

