



Handcrafted Wines, Inc.



It was 1986 when Washington native Tom Hedges found his first employment in the wine industry marketing American wines in Taiwan. From that humble beginning, Hedges Cellars, then a "virtual" winery, found its first customer: the government of Sweden. Tom and his wife Anne-Marie marketed their Cabernet/Merlot blend to foreign buyers exclusively for two years before going domestic and opening up North American distribution. Still without their own winery, they took a chance buying acreage on an obscure little hill called Red Mountain.

The Hedges have concentrated their efforts on Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot, and the concept of terroir since their first vintage in 1987. With Anne-Marie Hedges' roots and childhood in the Champagne region of France, it was only natural that a French-style chateau would be built on the slopes of Red Mountain amongst their vines.

Brother Pete Hedges joined the winery as General Manager, becoming head Winemaker in 2002. Son Christophe and his wife Maggie began working for the winery soon thereafter and Hedges Cellars became Hedges Family Estate.

Our future direction is clear: we will continue to work as a family to unite farming, winemaking, and the promotion of our wines and the Red Mountain AVA.

2003 Hedges Three Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot — HC-04266 — 89 Points Wine Enthusiast

Concentrated and supple, this meaty and tannic blend of 56% Merlot, 40% Cabernet Sauvignon and a smattering of Cab Franc and Syrah comes from estate vineyards on Red Mountain. Broad-shouldered and powerful, it shows excellent cassis and red currant fruit and plenty of concentration. 9,700 cases. — P.G. (4/1/2006)

For pricing please call 913-327-1977

2005 Hedges Three Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot — HC-04266 — NEW RELEASE

Intense, dark, black cherry and blackberry fruit, menthol and clove spice along with toasted oak, cocoa and cola with hints of vanilla. The mouth-feel is full and rich with a great balance of dark fruit and toasty, spicy oak flavors. Nice acid, firm structure and a long, slightly peppery finish make this a classic example of Red Mountain wine.

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2003 Hedges Two Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon/Syrah — HC-04267 — NEW BLEND

An unconventional but delightful blend of Cabernet & Syrah, the Two Vineyards is the first of its kind from Red Mountain. The Cabernet provides structure and grip, the Syrah adds lush fruit, smoothness and vibrant aromatics. The end result is a truly distinctive wine. The fruit is sourced from the Hedges Estate and Bel'Villa vineyards

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2003 Hedges Single Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon — HC-04268 — FIVE BOTTLES REMAIN!

The Single Vineyard Limited wines are produced from the absolute best lots from our estate production. Although most Hedges Family Estate Wines are blended from two or three of our estate vineyards, the Single Vineyard Limited wines are made from lots of such eminent quality and distinctiveness that they are truly complete on their own. Approximately 100 to 300 cases per vintage of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Syrah are produced each year as the only single varietal bottlings offered by Hedges Family Estate. Showcasing superb balance, finesse and complexity, the Red Mountain Limited wines are the pinnacle of our estate collection.

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