

# TERRA BLANCA

WINERY & ESTATE VINEYARD

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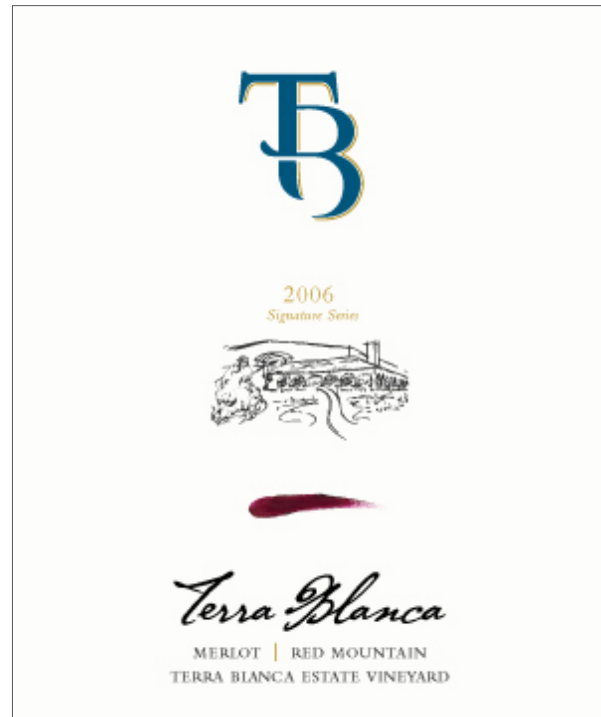
## 2008 Signature Series Merlot

100% MERLOT

“Concentrated black cherry with hints of clove entwine on the inviting nose followed by velvety layers of black cherry, plum and other black fruits. Dusty layers of soft tannins, dried cherries, black fruits, nuances of clove and hints of chocolate melt together on the long balanced finish. The 2008 Terra Blanca Merlot shows the power and depth of Red Mountain into a package of style and grace.”

*- Keith Pilgrim*

Keith Pilgrim,  
Owner/Winemaker



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## VINEYARD

*Red Mountain Estate Vineyard*

Growing Conditions : The 2008 growing season was a very warm one reflected in a harvest that was completed by September 17.

## HARVEST

Sugar - 24.4° Brix / Titratable Acidity - 0.600g/100ml / pH - 3.68

Fermentation in closed tanks with a variety of yeast types and some multiple yeast fermentation help to create a wine with huge dark fruit flavors and fine well integrated tannins. Aged for up to 28 months in French oak barrels, 50% new.

## BOTTLE

Titratable Acidity - 0.570g/100ml / pH - 3.87 / Alcohol - 13.5% by volume / Production - 580 cases

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*White Earth. Blue Skies. Red Mountain.*