



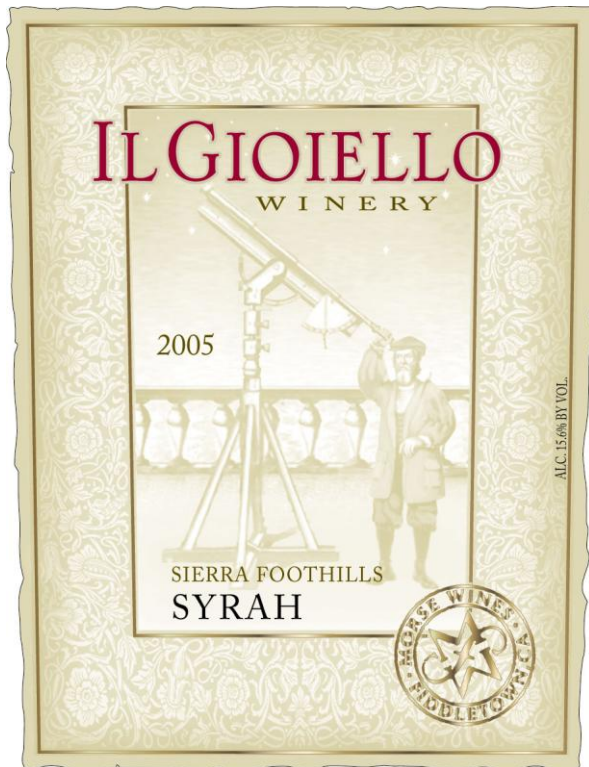
Morse Wines / IL GIOIELLO WINERY

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TASTING NOTES

2005 SYRAH

Appellation: Sierra Foothills
Blend: 100% Syrah
Bottling Date: August 23, 2007
Barrel Aging: 22 months, 100% French Oak
Cases Produced: 304
Alcohol: 15.7%



This elegant Il Gioiello Sierra Foothills Syrah is a mouthwatering blend of perfumed clone 877 Syrah from a local vineyard in Fiddletown / Amador County and muscular and earthy Shiraz from granitic high elevation soils in El Dorado County.

Smokey warm aromas and baking spices lead to flavors of dusty plum with mouth coating soft tannins, and juicy bright red cherry and berry. This Syrah rolls softly over the tongue with balanced acids leaving black current flavors in a lingering aftertaste.

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