



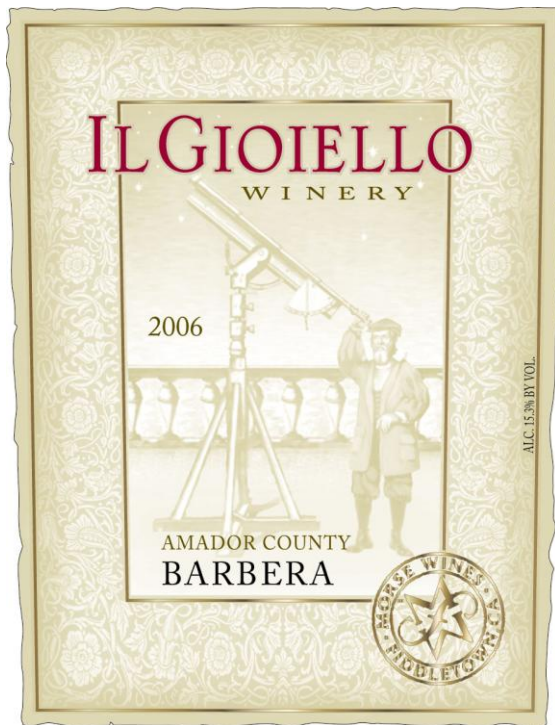
Morse Wines / IL GIOIELLO WINERY

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TASTING NOTES

2006 BARBERA

Appellation: Amador County
Blend: 100% Barbera - 72% Estate Barbera
28% Cooper Vineyard Barbera
Clone: Estate-VCR 15
Harvest Date – Estate Vineyard: September 29, 2006
Harvest Date – Cooper Vineyard: September 22, 2006
Bottling Date: November 18, 2007
Barrel Aging: 13 months, 40% New French Oak
Cases Produced: 388
Alcohol: 15.3%
pH: 3.55
RS: 0.15% Dry
Harvest Notes: Pumpover and punchdown twice daily, pristine fruit, very low amount of MOG, balanced fermentation



The 2006 Barbera integrates the Old World temperament of balanced food-friendly wines, along with New World acceptance of fruit-forward social wines. The deep ruby color, abundant fruit, with balance tannins and acid award this Barbera with unlimited enjoyment from beginning to end. The aromas of raspberry, strawberry, mint, & herbs with a sweet blackcurrant fruit entry that extends to the mid-palate with round and supple tannins and balanced acid linger and is an ideal tribute to food. The finish of herbs, white pepper with a hint of truffle is rich and long lasting. This wine continues to change and develop from the first to last taste. Ageable 4-5 years.

Won Double Gold in 2008 Fiddletown wine competition, and Gold in 2009 Amador County Fair wine competition.

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