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Jepson 2005 Summertime White

Think of a perfect summer day...Of puffy clouds and croquet. Of porch swings, pools, picnics, parades...and really good friends. By blending old-vine French Colombard with Viognier, Jepson has captured the perfect summer day in a glass.

VITICULTURE: Estate old-vine French Colombard is the anchor of this blend. Each vintage the winemaker lets the flavors of the French Colombard dictate the direction and blend of this wine. From these grapes come sweet notes of white nectarines and white peaches. The Viognier brings a slight perfume and depth to the wine. The wine was made in stainless steel, although the Viognier spent three months in neutral oak before it was blended with the French Colombard.

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TASTING NOTES AND FOOD PAIRINGS: The 2005 Summertime White is a bright, refreshing, off dry wine. The aromas of this wine are white stone fruit with a squeeze of lime. It's a great complement for Latino foods with the spice of chilies as well as seafood stews. Of course, it is the perfect crowd pleaser for Thanksgiving dinner. The 2005 Summertime White is the classic aperitif for most occasions.

HARVEST DATES:	September 20 and October 25, 2005
VARIETY:	70% French Colombard, 30% Viognier
APPELLATION:	100% Mendocino
ALCOHOL:	13.5%
pH:	3.27
T.A.	.73
PRODUCTION:	1,748 cases