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**TN: 2005 Guy Riedel Cabernet Sauvignon Stagecoach Vineyard**

- **2005 Guy Riedel Cabernet Sauvignon Stagecoach Vineyard** - USA, California, Napa Valley (11/7/2009)  
 I discovered this wine at a tasting at a local restaurant and wine bar, met the proprietor, Guy Riedel, and loved the wine. He produced Wedding Crashers among other movies. The wine is sourced from Stagecoach Vineyard and made at Crushpad. The prices were discounted that day and I bought three at \$42.50. It was (and still is) a fruit forward wine but not overly extracted. The tannins are present but not harsh. The label indicates 22 months in oak but even that was not over the top. It has a very long finish. I have not seen this elsewhere and don't know if this was a hobby by a Hollywood producer, or an ongoing enterprise, but GOOD JOB! **(92 pts.)**

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 Bruce

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 (CT Bruce61)

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