



LIEB FAMILY CELLARS

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LIEB CELLARS WINS AT THE LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL WINE AND SPIRITS COMPETITION.

MEDAL WINNERS INCLUDE 2003 BLANC DE BLANC SPARKLING WINE AND 2004 RESERVE CHARDONNAY.

(Mattituck, NY April 26, 2007). **Lieb Family Cellars**, a boutique winery on the North Fork of Long Island, has won two medals at the **2007 Los Angeles International Wine and Spirits Competition**. Lieb Cellars' winning wines include a Bronze medal for the 2004 vintage of Reserve Chardonnay and a Silver medal for the 2003 vintage of Blanc de Blanc sparkling wine.

Lieb's Blanc de Blanc is no stranger to winning in this prestigious wine competition, taking a Gold medal in 2005 and a Double Gold and Best in Class Award in 2006. The 2004 Reserve Chardonnay has also had a great run in recent competitions, medaling in the 2007 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, the 2007 Finger Lakes International Wine Competition, and the 2007 International Eastern Wine Competition

The Los Angeles County Fair Wine Competition is considered to be the premier wine competition in the United States and is the oldest fair wine tasting in the nation. Wines of all varietals from all over the world are accepted. Judges tasted 3,789 wines from 16 countries and awarded 2 Best of Show, 10 division winners, 11 varietals winners, 125 Best of Class, 440 Gold Medals, 921 Silver Medals and 908 Bronze Medals.

TASTING NOTES

2003 BLANC DE BLANC

Using the French Methode Champenoise, our sparkling wine is made from 100% Pinot Blanc grapes. This brut style wine shows a fine mousse and a golden straw color, accented by aromas of green apple and pear. On the palate it comes alive with delicate, refreshing, tiny bubbles and hints of citrus, honey, and subtle yeast.

2004 RESERVE CHARDONNAY

Tank fermented and finished in french oak for 6 months, this Chardonnay achieves an elegant harmony of fruit and wood. The complex nose is layered with notes of caramel and vanilla amid undertones of apricot and baked apple. A creamy mid-palate and round finish create an ideal compliment to lobster, poultry, and dishes featuring rich sauces.

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ABOUT LIEB CELLARS

Lieb Family Cellars' award winning wines are found at many of the finest restaurants and wine shops from Manhattan to Montauk, and are self-distributed within New York State. Founded by Mark and Kathy Lieb, who purchased their first 20 acres in 1992, their hand-tended, herbicide-free vineyard has grown to 50 acres in Cutchogue and produces more than 7,000 cases of wine annually. Estate-bottled Cabernet Franc, Chardonnay, Meritage, Merlot, Pinot Blanc, Rose, and Blanc de Blanc sparkling wine can be tasted and purchased at the Lieb Cellars tasting room, located at the Premium Wine Group at 35 Cox Neck Road in Mattituck, or on the website at www.liebcellars.com.

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ABOUT THE LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL WINE COMPETITION

The Los Angeles International Wine & Spirits Competition, formerly the L.A. County Fair Wines of the World competition, was held May 16, 2007 through May 18, 2007 at Fairplex. For 67 years, the competition has showcased the finest vintages from countries throughout the world and has grown considerably in the past few years, making it not only the oldest but one of the largest wine competitions globally, and drawing entries from countries such as Japan, New Zealand and Australia. The Los Angeles County Fair Wine Competition is considered to be the premier wine competition in the United States; it is the oldest fair wine tasting in the nation. Wines of all varietals from all over the world are accepted. www.lawinecomp.com
