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Numerous wine drinkers have written in over the last couple of years to ask where all of the creamy, oaky chardonnays have gone. LVE plants itself firmly in the Napa glam camp for the grape. This one is dressed up in the finest oak, getting its spiciness from a complex blend of different cooper barrels. Full malolactic fermentation gives the wine its creamy curves.

LVE will seduce anyone who has been wringing their hands over the growing number of lightly oaked chardonnays found in the market today.

A collaboration between Raymond Vineyards and John Legend, it will certainly make for a fun story around the dinner table.