



TECHNICAL NOTES

APPELLATION: Sonoma County

ALCOHOL: 13.5%

PH: 3.38

TA: 6.4 g/L

AGING: 18 months in 49% new French oak

VARIETY: Chardonnay

HARVEST DATES: October 20, 2023

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PRIVATE RESERVE

CHARDONNAY

SONOMA COUNTY

VINTAGE 2023

The Private Reserve wines are the ultimate wines within the portfolio; limited in production, sourced from the finest vineyards in Sonoma County and from appellations best suited for a specific varietal given the dramatic diversity in climatic and soil conditions across the County. The Private Reserve Chardonnay was primarily sourced from the Falcon Ranch Vineyard with the balance from Lorenzo and Hawk Hill vineyards.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The grapes were hand-picked on the early morning of October 20 and were sorted, whole-cluster pressed and barrel fermented with 100% malolactic fermentation before being aged in separate lots for 18 months in 49% new French oak and bottled unfiltered.

TASTING NOTES

Inviting aromas of velvety crème anglaise, vibrant Meyer lemon, and caramelized almond rise enticingly from the glass in this 2023 Sonoma County Chardonnay. On the palate, flavors of spiced baked apple unfold with a luxuriously creamy texture, complemented by notes of succulent Bartlett pear, sun-warmed peach, and lush tropical mango. Subtle threads of wildflower honey and a whisper of delicate spice add further complexity. The finish is luminous, perfectly poised, and gracefully persistent.

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