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Buena Vista Winery

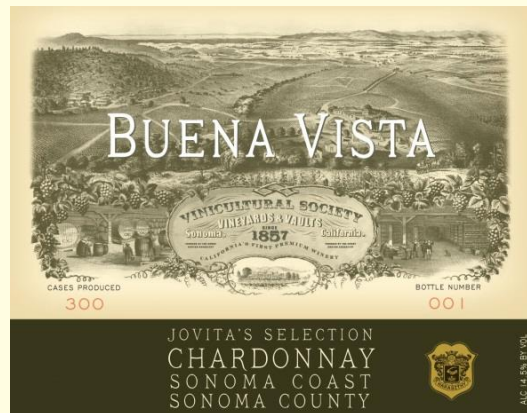
VINICULTURAL SOCIETY

2016
JOVITA'S CHARDONNAY
SONOMA COAST
SONOMA COUNTY

The Buena Vista Vinicultural Society, formed in 1863 by the winery's founder, Count Agoston Haraszthy to further improve its winemaking prowess and expand its vineyards, has been restored as a collection of unique small-production wines that honor the winery's pioneering spirit and contribution to California winemaking. The Vinicultural Society explores clonal selections, varietals and the incredible terroir of Northern California.

Named for the wife of the Count's son, Arpad, and the daughter of General Mariano Vallejo, Jovita's Selection Chardonnay is harvested from two sandstone soil vineyards in Sonoma, Gap's Crown and Durell Vineyards. The grapes were hand-harvested and whole cluster pressed and the wine was then aged for 9 months in 30% new French oak before being bottled unfiltered.

A lovely golden color in the glass, our 2016 Jovita's Selection Chardonnay offers alluring aromas of honeysuckle and tropical fruit with a touch of caramelized vanilla. Rich flavors of white peach, pear and quince paste spread across the palate with notes of citrus zest and a hint of nutmeg on the finish. Full bodied with moderate acidity, this Chardonnay is soft upon the palate with a long, clean finish.



Alcohol: 14.5%

pH: 3.42

Total Acidity: 5.8 g/L

Aging: 9 Months in 100% French oak, 30% new

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