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Merriam Chardonnay Russian River

Varietal: 100% Chardonnay

Location:

ph: 3.68

Practice:

Production:

Appellation: Russian River

Dry Extract: gr / liter

Alcohol %: 13.9%

Residual Sugar: 0.11 gr / liter

Acidity: 6.2 gr / liter



Tasting Notes. This Chardonnay opens with a lifted, expressive nose of wet stone, orange blossom, and fresh lemon curd. A restrained touch of new French oak and some time spent aging on the lees adds subtle complexity without overshadowing the wine's vibrant aromatics. On the palate, it shows a slightly rounded, supple texture with well-integrated acidity, carrying flavors of ripe stone fruits, baked apple, and hints of vanilla, brioche, and light toast. The finish is balanced and elegant, marrying freshness and gentle richness, making this a versatile and polished expression of Russian River Valley Chardonnay.

Aging: 11 Months in 30% New French Oak

Food Pairing:

Accolades

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