



2019 Carneros Reserve Chardonnay



TASTING NOTES

Delicate notes of crisp green apple are complemented by honeydew melon and mandarin upon opening this elegant Carneros Chardonnay. A rich, textured palate is greeted with vanilla bean panna cotta and marzipan while bright pineapple and lemon curd offer a splash of acidity to round out the finish.

WINEMAKER NOTES

Chardonnay from our Lewis Vineyard is harvested at optimal ripeness, where sugar and acid levels find balance. The grapes are gently pressed before being transferred to barrel for fermentation. Minimal intervention is made in the winery, allowing the true essence of Carneros to radiate in every bottle.

SOURCING

Named after Rich and Leslie Frank's eldest grandson, Lewis Vineyard consistently produces Frank Family's best fruit year after year. Almost at sea level and directly facing the San Pablo Bay, Lewis Vineyard receives the constant caress of cool ocean air and fog that tumble over its rolling hills. The effect on our grapes is profound. The grapes receive plenty of sunshine, creating perfect conditions to ripen each berry while retaining its natural acidity.

AGING

10 months in 100% new French oak

Varietal Composition	100% Chardonnay
Harvest Date	Sept 20 & 30, 2019
Bottled	August 14, 2020
Acid	0.56 g/100ml
pH	3.42
Alcohol	14.5%

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