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THE OAK CHARDONNAY

VINTAGE

2016

APPELLATION

Lodi

VARIETAL

Chardonnay

The Oak delivers a fresh, fruit forward Chardonnay. The grapes are harvested at optimal maturity and processed utilizing reductive winemaking techniques. This handling allows the more subtle aromas and flavors to be retained.

Tropical fruit abounds with mouth-filling and lingering flavors. A small amount of new French oak is used to provide the ideal textural finish for the wine with just enough fine tannin to complete the wine's structure. The grapes were harvested quite ripe, leading to a gentle warmth of alcohol which sits wonderfully with the lively natural acid.

The wine, while being new world in style, is more typical of the fruit forward wines from Australia and New Zealand. Therefore, they are great food wines with the ability to partner with many dishes, especially seafood and poultry.

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THESE FINE WINES REFLECT THE CLASSIC QUALITY OF THE IMAGES THEY PORTRAY. ENJOY ALL THE WINES IN THE CALIFORNIA LANDSCAPE SERIES.

WITH GRAPES HARVESTED AT THE OPTIMAL TIME, THE OAK CHARDONNAY DELIVERS AN ABUNDANCE OF FRUIT RIPENESS AND BALANCED NATURAL ACIDITY. SUBTLE USE OF FRENCH OAK ADDS TO THE FLAVOR COMPLEXITY.

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GOVERNMENT WARNING: (1) ACCORDING TO THE SURGEON GENERAL, WOMEN SHOULD NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF BIRTH DEFECTS. (2) CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IMPAIRS YOUR ABILITY TO DRIVE A CAR OR OPERATE MACHINERY, AND MAY CAUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS.



ALCOHOL

13.5%

pH

3.35

RELEASE DATE

2/26/18

KEY COOPERS

Cornelius Dane