

NINETY + CELLARS

CHARDONNAY



Mendocino, California

LOT 122

"A brilliantly fresh and textured cool-climate California Chardonnay"

Vintage: 2016

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Vineyards & Winemaking: If you're looking for high-class wine made by down to earth people, then Mendocino is your place. This Chardonnay is grown along the shores of the Russian River as it winds its way toward the Pacific Ocean. A cool fermentation preserves this wine's aromatic orchard fruit, and partial barrel aging gives it a creaminess that won't quit.

Taste: Brilliant yellow gold in color with aromas of green apple and white peach backed by a touch of honey. The wine is round, full-bodied and fresh with an elegant creamy texture and a tangy finish. Serve with a crab and avocado salad topped with cilantro and lime, or grilled chicken with a lemon and caper sauce.

Notes: Mendocino is often overshadowed by its famous neighbors to the south. But the Chardonnay that is coming from Mendocino is equally delicious. Chardonnay from this area tends to have more freshness due to the slightly cooler climate, especially in and around Anderson Valley.

These wines also tend to take less oak than the riper tropical style of

Chardonnay from Napa.

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