

BROWN ESTATE 2006 NAPA VALLEY CHARDONNAY

Composition 100% Estate Grown Chardonnay

Vineyard Source Far West Vineyard, Brown Estate

Appellation Chiles Valley District, Napa Valley

Barrel Aging 10 months

25% new French oak

Alcohol 13.5% by vol.

Production 350 cases in 12 x 750ml format

Tasting Notes

This wine is characterized by a crystal clear brilliant canary diamond color and an impressive nose of Key lime, tropical pineapple, honeysuckle, kiwi and Meyer lemon zest. It is bright, spare and lean with unmistakable chardonnay roundness. This is a refreshingly deep wine with a subtle creamy texture and the slightest hint of toasted brioche on the lengthy finish. Its firm acidity persists through layers of classic fruit, balancing the richness of its distinct chardonnay quality and reflecting the minerality of the hillside vineyard source. Non-malolactic fermentation, bright acidity, and westerly hillside exposure result in a uniquely lean, deep chardonnay.

Drink now through 2020.

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