

Van Loveren Christina Chardonnay 2011

A well-balanced, single vineyard wine. Typical citrus and buttery aromas are complimented by toasty oak derived from new French oak barrels. Full, dry finish.

A serious wine to accompany fine cuisine. Good shellfish, grilled fish, rich chicken dishes and creamy pastas.

variety : Chardonnay | 100% Chardonnay

winery : Van Loveren Family Vineyards

winemaker : BUSSELL RETIEF

wine of origin : ROBERTSON

analysis : alc : 13.1 % vol rs : 1.9 g/l pH : 3.38 ta : 6.2 g/l

type : White **body** : Full

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

ageing : MATURATION POTENTIAL: Will gain complexity with 2 to 3 years of bottle maturation.

in the vineyard : AGE OF VINE: 18 Years old

SOILS: Limestone

TRELLISING: 4 Wire Perold system

IRRIGATION: Drip irrigation controlled by a computer system through meters and tensiometers.

about the harvest: Harvesting is done by hand at night.

in the cellar : Produced from hand-selected grapes from a single vineyard. Fermented & matured in 100% new French Oak barrels for 5 months. Regularly stirred on the lees.



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