

## Leopards Leap Classic Chardonnay 2012

**Wine Style:** A surprisingly voluptuous, medium bodied, un-wooded Chardonnay made in a New World style.

**Nose:** Playful yellow apple and subtle aromas of grapefruit and lime are beautifully balanced by a definite presence of spice.

**Palate:** The complexity of this wine is revealed as apple flavours are sustained on the palate, supported by delicate spice that provides a memorable finish.

Chardonnay is renowned for being one of the most versatile food wines. The well-integrated acidity and slight herbaceousness of this wine complement a wide variety of herbs and white wine based dishes and serves as a companion to creamy sauces.

**variety :** Chardonnay | 100% Chardonnay

**winery :** Leopards Leap Family Vineyards

**winemaker :** Eugene van Zyl

**wine of origin :** Robertson

**analysis :** alc : 13.5 % vol   rs : 1.9 g/l   pH : 3.5   ta : 5.5 g/l

**type :** White   **style :** Very Dry   **body :** Medium   **taste :** Fruity

**pack :** Bottle   **closure :** Screwcap

**in the vineyard :** The grapes used to make this wine come from the Robertson region, an area known to produce excellent Chardonnay. Vineyards grow in soils with a relatively higher pH due to the lime content, ideal for growing Chardonnay grapes.

**in the cellar :** The grapes were whole-bunch pressed, settled and cold-fermented at 15° C. Extended lees contact yielded the unique firm structure of this wine.



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