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Waterford Estate Chardonnay Single Vineyard 2014

A brilliant yellow colour with a green hue is very characteristic of this single vineyard Chardonnay. Aromatics of peach pip and lemon zest, as well as soft coconut husk and nutmeg notes from the gentle oak usage can be found. The vintage produced a slightly fuller Chardonnay to others due to an overall warmer season. The age of these vines proves to still produce lovely restraint, tightly structured wines which will benefit from time spent in bottle.

variety : Chardonnay | 100% Chardonnay
winery : Waterford Estate
winemaker : Mark Le Roux
wine of origin : Stellenbosch
analysis : **alc :** 12.51 % vol **rs :** 1.9 g/l **pH :** 3.48 **ta :** 4.9 g/l **so2 :** 81 mg/l **fso2 :** 28 mg/l
type : White **style :** Dry **wooded**
pack : Bottle **size :** 750ml **closure :** Cork

ageing : A classic vintage for whites wines which will see this wine age very well.

in the vineyard :
Vineyard: Planted 1988, Clone CY03 Chardonnay

in the cellar : Yeast: CY3079, D49, 50% Natural fermentation
Barrel Ageing: 8 months in a combination of 500L, 300L and 228L French oak, 26% new oak
Fermentation: Barrel fermented and aged

Bottling date: January 2015
Production: 3000 cases



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