

Bouchard Finlayson Sans Barrique Chardonnay 2002

Crafted in a Burgundian Chablis style for wine lovers who like their Chardonnay unhindered by the taste of oak. It projects a strong tropical and citrus fruitiness while not overpowering the dry mineral tones on the mid-palate. The wine finishes with great length and depth of flavour. Makes a wonderful alternative to Sauvignon Blanc as an aperitif. Delicious with oysters, crustaceans and pasta dishes with cream or oil base sauces.

variety : Chardonnay | Chardonnay

winery : Bouchard Finlayson Boutique Vineyard

winemaker : Peter Finlayson

wine of origin : Walker Bay

analysis : alc : 13.5 % vol rs : 1.1 g/l pH : 3.38 ta : 5.5 g/l

type : White

pack : Bottle



ageing : Will mature for 3 - 4 years, eminently pleasing as a young wine.

in the vineyard : The growing conditions at Kaaimansgat Vineyard (700 metres above sea level) are particularly cool, producing small grapes with great concentration of flavour.

in the cellar : Produced from the same grapes as the Kaaimansgat Chardonnay. Only in this instance the wine was not barrel fermented but allowed to age on the primary lees for eight months. Crafted in a Burgundian Chablis style for wine lovers who like their Chardonnay unhindered by the taste of oak.

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