





# **2016 CHARDONNAY** WASHINGTON STATE

### WINEMAKING

- Fruit was sourced throughout eastern Washington State, including the Horse Heaven Hills, Wahluke Slope, Yakima Valley and other parts of the Columbia Valley.
- After gentle pressing, the juice was cold settled for two days then racked off solids to a combination of barrels and stainless steel tanks.
- The wine was fermented in predominantly neutral oak barrels before undergoing malolactic conversion.

### FLAVOR PROFILE

"This lighter style Chardonnay begins with bright aromas of sweet lime and pears with a touch of baking spice. Refined fruit flavors are accentuated by ample acidity that gives way to subtle hints of butter, caramel and vanilla."

Hetth a. Kernson Keith Kenison, Winemaker

# RECOMMENDED FOOD PAIRINGS

Roast Chicken, Lemon Pepper Salmon, Seafood Alfredo, Caesar Salad

# TECHNICAL DATA:

Appellation: Washington State

Blend: Chardonnay and other aromatic white wine varieties including

Viognier, Roussanne, Marsanne

Alcohol: I3.5%