



*We add nothing to our wines, nor do we take anything from them.
With infinite care, we leave them alone. —MARTIN RAY*

2005 YOUNTVILLE NAPA VALLEY RESERVE CHARDONNAY

THE VINEYARDS The 2005 Martin Ray Yountville Reserve Chardonnay is produced from selected vineyards in the acclaimed Napa Valley wine region. Rich fruit characteristics and lush tropical fruit flavors emerge from these select grapes, which are picked from some of the finest vineyards in the region.

VINTAGE NOTES The 2005 harvest was an excellent vintage for Napa Valley producing moderate crop yields. The slow ripening season without heat spikes contributes to the positive qualities of the fruit: intense color, concentrated flavors and beautiful aromatics. The vintage of 2005 promise wines with elegance, balance and structure.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES Our Yountville Chardonnay begins with rich aromas, highlighted by fresh peach and vanilla. Bright flavors of crisp apple, luscious peach and soft vanilla continue in this wine leading to a rich finish balanced by creamy oak.

FOOD & WINE PAIRING Grilled mahi-mahi with fresh citrus and basil or halibut with light buerre blanche sauce.

TECHNICAL NOTES

VARIETAL | 100% Chardonnay

RELEASE DATES | January 2007

ALCOHOL | 14.8%

BRIX | 24.2

TOTAL ACIDITY | 0.50%

PH | 3.73

QUANTITY PRODUCED | 1,150 cases

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