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## 2022 Signature Series Chardonnay

The production techniques flowing into the finished product here are what one would expect in a Chardonnay costing at least \$40. We are talking about 20% new French oak and laborious in monitoring malolactic fermentation barrel-by-barrel before stopping that process to retain bright acidity to counterbalance rich flavors. The result is highly complex in relation to selling price.

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