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Chardonnay
Sonoma Coast
Charles Heintz Vineyard
2022

The 2022 Chardonnay from Charles Heintz Vineyard shines with a pure, crystalline clarity, revealing an aromatic bouquet of saline, spring honey, roasted almonds, and whispers of graphite, all enveloping a core of luscious golden apples and ripe quince. On the palate, this medium-bodied gem dances with lively energy, showcasing ripe flavors infused with mineral nuances and vibrant acidity. The experience culminates in a long, uplifted finish that lingers, inviting contemplation. With just 215 cases crafted, this wine embodies both rarity and refinement.

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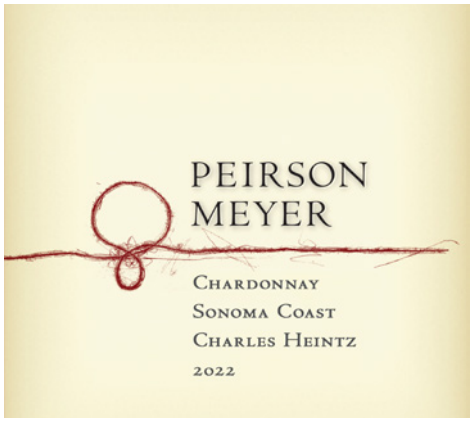

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The Charles Heintz Vineyard rests at 900 feet above sea level and is nine miles from the Sonoma Coast. The vineyard experiences cool maritime influences from the Pacific Ocean, yet it receives less cloud cover than our Russian River vineyard. While the vines are of equal age, this vineyard is planted in Goldridge soils, trained on a quadrilateral cordon system.

Production/Vineyard Notes

Winemaker – Robbie Meyer
Production: 215 cases
Sonoma Coast Appellation
Located near Occidental
Elevation 900 feet
Vine Age – 40+ years
Goldridge Soils
Harvested in October 2022
Barrel / Malolactic Fermented
Wild Yeast Fermentation
40% New French Oak
Barrel Aged 14 Months (sur lees)
Bottled in December 2023

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