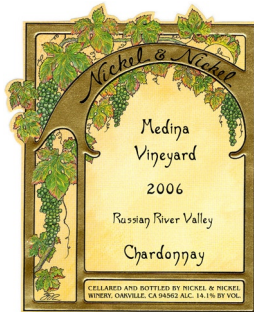


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94 Nickel & Nickel, 2006 Chardonnay Medina Vineyard, Russian River Valley

Ripe aromas of grilled pineapple, peach nectar and dark honey. Fat and juicy with a mix of peach, pear and apricot flavors. A nice balance between rich tropical fruit and crisp acids that enliven and extend the close.



93 Nickel & Nickel, 2006 Chardonnay Truchard Vineyard, Carneros, Napa Valley

Fresh apricot, peach nectar and new oak aromas. Delicious and supple with peach, grilled pineapple and just enough fresh acidity to temper the rush of sweetness. Fresh, lengthy finish; drinking nicely right now.