



Medina Vineyard Chardonnay

Vineyard Description Medina Vineyard is located in the Green Valley subappellation of the Russian River Valley, in Sonoma. Planted in 1969, the vineyard rests on a gentle, rolling slope with a northeastern exposure that offers plentiful sunlight throughout the day. Medina Vineyard is composed of Goldridge sandy loam soils, which produce vines of moderate vigor. The coastal influence produces daytime temperatures that allow the grapes to slowly develop full ripeness, while retaining perfect balance.

Appellation Russian River Valley (Sonoma)

Year Planted 1969

Varietal Chardonnay

Acreage 14 acres

Clone & Rootstock Rued Chardonnay clone on St. George rootstock

Trellising California T-top

Geology Comprised of sandy loam from the Goldridge soil series, the soil is deep, soft and well drained.

Tasting Notes Medina Vineyard Chardonnay shows lovely fruit that is complemented by subtle floral notes. Flavors of pear and lemon are expressive upon entry and build with layers of sweet, toasty oak that expand into a nice, creamy texture. The natural crisp acidity adds liveliness to the palate and enhances the fruit flavors, which carry through to a long, persistent finish.