

2018 Terragena Chardonnay

Abbassi Vineyard

Chardonnay with bright acid, complex aromatics, and a persistent finish, all hallmarks of this Noble grape. Transplanted from its origin in Burgundy to the Carneros region of Sonoma County, these low yielding, 40+ year old vines produce wine with floral and fruit aromatics of pears, stone fruit, and daffodils while young. Expect the wine to mature with these fresh notes and other aromas of honeysuckle, cinnamon, and caramel as it ages gracefully over the next 10+ years.

Technical Notes

Vineyard: Abbassi Family

Vintage: 2018

Varietal: 100% Chardonnay Clone: 37 on 110R rootstock

Soil: Huichica Loam, a silty to sandy loam

Cooperage: $50\%\,$ neutral Oak, $25\%\,$ once used French Oak, and $25\%\,$

new Hungarian Oak Alcohol: 14.5 %

Harvest: September 12, 2018 Appellation: Carneros AVA

pH: 3.3 TA: 6.3 g/L

Amount produced: 145 cases

About the Vineyard

This small family vineyard was originally planted in

1976.From the Abbassi family: *Abbassi Vineyard's topography is Valley Floor sloping gently southwest. The soil is huichica loam and the grapes soak up the sun's warmth in the afternoon and are kissed by the cool foggy moisture from the Bay in the evenings.*

About the Winery

We believe in the collective wisdom of winemakers, scientists, and creatives who hold that exceptional wine is born from both curiosity and tradition. Guided by a passion for exploration, we push the boundaries of what wine can be, merging art and science in every bottle. We are committed to crafting wine that tastes extraordinary and honors the land and people behind it. We embrace experimentation, allowing our curiosity to fuel our growth in every stage of winemaking. Through every bottle, we hope to inspire a journey of discovery, shared moments, and meaningful connection.



