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VINEYARDS**

## 2021 Purisima Mountain Vineyard Chardonnay

2021 was one of the coolest vintages we have had in the last decade. The mild year was a nice change from the warm vintages of the last 10 years, and it kept the fruit in pristine condition for our late harvest that lasted until the middle of November. The cool temperatures allowed us to harvest great quality fruit with beautiful acidity and bright lifted aromas and flavors. The high acidity and structure should allow these elegant wines to age gracefully for years to come.

### Composition

100% Chardonnay  
*Certified Biodynamic*

### Vineyard

Purisima Mountain Vineyard  
*Ballard Canyon AVA*

### Harvest Dates

September 9 & 10

### Winemaking & Aging

- Grapes were whole cluster pressed and then cold settled for three days to extract color and taste-enhancing phenolics.
- 67% barrel ferment and 33% stainless steel ferment.
- Malolactic fermentation inhibited.
- Aged for seven months in 59% French oak and 41% stainless steel.
- Protein fined, sterile filtered, and bottled in January 2023.

### Analysis

ALCOHOL: 13.3%      PH: 3.42      TOTAL ACIDITY: 6.6 g/L

### Production

300 cases

### Tasting Notes

Notes of candied lemon, yellow apple, citrus blossom, and mineral.

### Release Date

February 2023

### Drinking Window

2023 - 2033

### SRP

\$45

### Winemaker

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