## PRIDE MOUNTAIN VINEYARDS

## **2024 CHARDONNAY**

The 2024 vintage was defined by strong winter rains leading to healthy canopies for rapidly ripening the grapes. While this led to a whirlwind of a compact harvest season, the Pride 2024 Chardonnay perfectly showcases the freshness possible from such a vintage. Mineral and focused, this wine first calls to mind river stones drying in the sun. The tension slowly unfurls to release aromas of fresh nectarine punctuated by fresh lime zest and a hint of bergamot. A vibrant energy resonates through the first sip, building to a rich but pleasingly juicy crescendo. The brightness holds steady before unfurling into a long, orderly finish. At only 10% new barrels, the balance of freshness and barrel aging yields something akin to grapefruit brûlée; fresh fruit with the slightest kiss of toasted sweetness.



## **PROFILE**

Appellation: Napa Valley

Vintage: 2024

Harvest: September 2024

Fermentation: 90% Neutral French Oak

10% New French Oak

Cooperage: 90% Neutral French Oak

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Blend: 100% Chardonnay

Alcohol: 14.1%

Bottling: July 2025

Production: 1446 cases

Release Date: October 2025

Retail Price: \$50.00