



WINDSOR

V I N E Y A R D S

2012 *Chardonnay*
EVELYN PARRISH VINEYARD
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, PLATINUM SERIES

Taste

This elegant wine opens with complex aromas of apple and baking spices accented by bright notes of Asian pear and white nectarine followed by gentle buttery flavors of crème brûlée, light oak, and hints of cinnamon. The creamy flavors, artfully balanced by acidity, create a remarkably refreshing wine with a lasting finish.

This very special Evelyn Parrish Vineyard Chardonnay was named for a cherished former employee. Evelyn (or "EP" as we call her) headed up Windsor Vineyards Customer Service and was a dedicated employee for over 40 years. Her tireless effort to provide extraordinary service to our customers is something we consistently try to emulate.

Serve

Create an intimate evening for two with a bottle of our Evelyn Parrish Vineyard Chardonnay paired with an elegant dinner of pan seared scallops in cream sauce or roast lemon chicken. Makes an ideal gift for the hostess or white wine lover with a sophisticated palate.

Pair

Seafood: Sautéed halibut with beurre blanc, grilled or smoked salmon, garlic shrimp

Poultry and meats: Braised chicken thighs, roasted pork loin with herb butter, smoked turkey

Pasta dishes: Carbonara, pasta al pesto, cream and lemon-based pastas

Vegetables: Caprese salad, creamy quiche, corn dishes, salad Niçoise

About the Appellation - Russian River AVA

If there was only one word you could use to describe the key influence on the regional growing conditions it would certainly be "fog." The vines soak up the afternoon sun, which brings the grapes along, gradually, toward maturity. They spend their mornings and evenings under a cool veil of coastal fog, which rolls in from the Pacific ocean, just a few miles away. The persistent daily fog keeps the natural acidity bright and extends the growing season, often by as much as 15-20% over neighboring regions, giving the grapes the all-important hang-time they need to develop peak flavor maturity.



Winemaking Information:

Varietal Composition: 100% Chardonnay

Analysis at Bottling

Alcohol: 13.5

Medals Awarded:

Silver - 2014 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition

Bronze - 2014 Sunset International Wine Competition

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