



2019 Leveroni Vineyard Carneros Chardonnay

This wine comes from the great Leveroni vineyard located on the Sonoma County side of Carneros, just south of the town of Sonoma. This marks the 24th year from which we have made wine from this acclaimed vineyard.

The wine has a bright, golden straw color. On the nose, there are aromas of lemon, citrus and vanilla. The wine is well balanced with a rich, structured mouth-feel. Crisp and bright, the wine caresses your palate with flavors of poached pear, apple, and lemon cream mixed with mild oak flavors and a hint of waffle cone. This is a great food wine which would work well with almost any moderately seasoned fish or chicken dish.

The grapes for this wine were picked at 24.8 brix then whole-cluster pressed, cold settled, inoculated with yeast, and racked to barrels for fermentation. Barrels used were 100% French, with 30% being new and 70% being a mix of 2 year old barrels from the previous vintage. After completion of fermentation the wine was inoculated with a malo-lactic culture, stirred weekly, and sur-lees aged 8 months. **189 cases produced.**

91Pts. Wine Spectator

Vintage	2019
Wine Type	White
Varietal	100% Chardonnay
Appellation	Carneros
Alcohol	14.3%
Cases	189
Barrel Aging	8 months in 30% new French Oak, 70% 2 & 3 year old barrels