



SAINT HELENA WINERY

2012 Sonoma Mountain Chardonnay

Winemaker Notes: *By Aaron Pott & Elizabeth Tangney*

Classic aromas of honey and stone fruit balanced with notes of melon, white orange blossom and guava. Flavors of yellow peach with mineral notes and a hint of toasty bread crust.

Varietal: 100% Chardonnay

AVA: Sonoma Mountain

Vineyard: Scopus vineyard, farmed by Ulises Valdez. High elevation, eastern-facing slopes.

Winemaking: Whole cluster press
Native yeast fermentation
Aged sur lie with batonnage
100% malolactic fermentation

Barrel Aging: 18 months in French Oak barrels, 50% new, 50% neutral

Alcohol: 14.5%

Bottling date: April 9, 2014