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Fritz Underground Winery's Portfolio of Wines 2009 Russian River Valley Chardonnay

Winemaker's Notes:

This 2009 Russian River Valley Chardonnay expresses a complex array of aromas and flavors. The color of straw, this wine opens up with an intense bouquet of lemon zest, orange blossom, and papaya, as well as subtle layers of limestone, wet cement, and flint. Bright acidity marries seamlessly with a rich silky texture and presents a beautiful back drop for flavors of fresh tropical fruits and a hint of vanilla bean. The finish lingers with ripe apricot.

- Winemaker Brad Longton



Technical Data:

Appellation:	Russian River Valley
Varietal:	Chardonnay
Harvest Date:	September 2009
Barrel Aging:	10 Months
Alcohol:	14.3%
Production:	5,000 Cases

Production Notes:

The grapes for our 2009 RRV Chardonnay were whole cluster pressed to bring out the inherent varietal characteristics of the fruit. The Juice was stabilized at 45 degrees before undergoing native barrel fermentation in 30% new French Oak. There is no ML on this Chardonnay.

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