

Loring Wine Company 2013 Parmelee-Hill Vineyard Chardonnay

Wine Details

AVA Sonoma Coast

Clones Wente

Alcohol 14.8 %

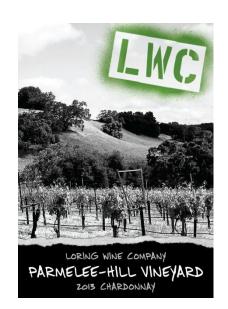
pH 3.91

Barrel Program Aged 10 Months in

50% French Oak (50% New) &

50% American Oak (50% New)

Cases Produced 150



Parmelee-Hill Vineyard is located in the Petaluma Gap region of the Sonoma Coast AVA. The area is actually quite warm - as such the fruit doesn't retain much acidity. The lower acid profile leads to the rounder, softer, slightly oily mouth feel that Parmelee-Hill Vineyard Chardonnays are known for. It's own by Steve Hill who was the former vineyard manager at Durell Vineyard.

Reviews

Tasting Note

A lush chardonnay with rich, explosive fruit. Chardonnay lovers drawn to plush versions will go for this because its toasty oak rivals its ripe fruit. The Loring isn't overly oaked, but it's generous with tasty notes of crème brulee and vanilla. This chardonnay is a gem.

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