

# 00 Wines

## 2021 VGW Chardonnay Willamette Valley Oregon, United States



<b>Type:</b>	White Still Wine
<b>Ingredients:</b>	100% Chardonnay
<b>Region:</b>	Oregon, Willamette Valley, ,
<b>Vineyard:</b>	Seven Springs, Chehalem Mountain, Open Claim, Shea, Hyland
<b>Total Production:</b>	1200 cases
<b>Fermentation:</b>	Utilizes the "Black Chardonnay Method," which involves pre-press foot crushing and overnight skin contact, followed by a long pressing cycle to maximize phenolic extraction. No sulfites are added during pressing; juice is transferred immediately into barrels.
<b>Winemaker:</b>	Chris and Kathryn Hermann
<b>Elevage:</b>	The wine spends 2 months in barrels on the lees without b,tonnage, followed by 6 months in stainless steel on fine lees. 29% new French oak, with 17% aged for one year from Chassin and Damy cooperages.

<b>ABV</b>	13.70%	<b>Sizes</b>	750ml	<b>Vegan</b>
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### ABOUT THIS BOTTLE

The wines produced from this vintage are distinguished by their remarkable concentration, drawing comparisons to the rich 2018 vintage while echoing the scale of those from 2014-2017. Ultimately, the 2021 vintage is celebrated for its harmonious balance between body and elegance, offering wines that are both powerful and refined.

95 JS, 94 JD, 94 V