

## **MINER FAMILY WINERY** **2016 Chardonnay, Napa Valley**

Sourced from low-yielding vineyards in Napa Valley, our Chardonnay is characterized by crisp apple, ripe melon and citrus flavors gently balanced with toasty French oak.

Our winemaker uses a malolactic fermentation in moderation to retain the wine's bright acidity. More than a decade after Chardonnay put us on the map, this wine remains a classic.

### **APPELLATION**

Napa Valley  
100% Chardonnay

### **VINEYARD**

Garvey, Genny's, Stagecoach,  
Hudson & Hyde Vineyards

### **FERMENTATION & aging**

Aged 10 Months  
30% New French Oak  
40% Stainless Steel  
50% Malolactic Fermentation

### **ANALYSIS**

Alcohol 13.9%  
pH 3.57  
TA .58

### **HISTORY**

Miner is a dynamic family-owned winery tucked along the eastern hills of the Oakville appellation in the heart of Napa Valley. Founded in 1998 by Dave and Emily Miner, Miner Family Winery crafts reserve-style wines by sourcing fruit from Napa Valley and other specially selected California vineyards.

Winemakers Gary Brookman & Stacy Vogel use a combination of old world winemaking techniques and modern technology to make wines that reflect the unique characteristics of individual vineyards or "terroir" where specific varieties grow best. This fusion of superb vineyard sites and thoughtful winemaking allows Miner to deliver elegant, expressive wines.