



# COURTNEY BENHAM

## 2019 RESERVE CHARDONNAY NAPA VALLEY

Courtney Benham, a leader in quality wine for nearly 30 years, brings you top bottlings from the Napa Valley. From high-elevation mountain appellations, to benchland vineyards and sun-drenched valley sites, he seeks locations of distinction, offering wines that are expressive, terroir-driven, and exceed expectations.

### VINEYARD NOTES

Situated in the valley, it sees ideal sun exposure during the day and benefits from cool breezes from the South in the evening.

— *Alluvial fans that range from gravelly to well-drained loam*

### WINEMAKING NOTES

Small lot, gently pressed, cold settled for four days, full malolactic fermentation.

— *35% new French oak, 18 months*

### TASTING NOTES

Classic Napa Valley, this Chardonnay is ripe and creamy, backed by fresh acidity, and integrated oak.

— *Baked Apple, Bosc Pear, Acacia Flowers, Baking Spice*

— *Tangerine Pith, Blanched Almonds, Sweetgrass*

BRIX	23.2	ALC.	13.6%
pH	3.51	BLEND	100% Chardonnay
TA	4.8 g/L		