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Chardonnay | vintage 2018 | *Riverview Vineyard*
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Morning fog and unshielded strong winds off the Monterey Bay add to its personality, as does the decomposed granite soils and on-site fermentations with wild yeast. Aged in 100% French oak for 12 months and regular stirring of the lees imparts a creamy brioche effect on nose and palate. Golden delicious apple, honey and chamomile lead the path to an inherent richness. A fine acid structure and a seashell minerality break through allowing freshness, with notes of mango and orange marmalade on the finish.

— Meridith May | The Tasting Panel,
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