



POWERS

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2008 Chardonnay, 3L box

TASTING NOTES

Pretty aromatics of Lemon Meringue pie and sweet citrus zest greet you. These are joined by a floral bouquet and toasted bananas foster on the palate. This is an easy wine to drink and to love. Perfect poolside, with a book, and serious enough to be served with dinner.

BLEND/VINEYARD INFO

100% Chardonnay
74% Milbrandt Vineyard, Wahluke Slope
19% Arete Vineyard, Wahluke Slope
7% Badger Mountain Estate Vineyard, Columbia Valley

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The grape selection for this premier vintage of Powers Chardonnay in a 3L box, was predominantly from warm vineyard sites. These grapes give richer and riper tropical flavors. The Badger Mountain grapes are grown in a cooler site and balance the richness with brilliant acidity, to make it food worthy. The Milbrandt grapes were aged entirely in stainless, while most of the Areté grapes were aged in oak. About 11% of this wine completed malo-lactic fermentation. It is the combination of these vineyards that form a complete wine with balance of richness and acidity in texture and flavors.

TECHNICAL DATA

Release Date:	6.1.2009	Acidity:	0.68
Alcohol:	13.0%	pH	3.63
Residual Sugar:	0.10	Cases:	800