G3 BY GOOSE RIDGE CHARDONNAY 2023

Goose Gap AVA, Columbia Valley, Washington





TASTING NOTES: The 2023 G3 Chardonnay reveals rich, deep, and expressive layered aromas of pineapple, lemongrass, and nectarine, intertwined with tangerine and subtle hints of slate and warm fruit pastry. The palate showcases vibrant energy with lively, intense citrus and stone fruit flavors supported by a strong mineral undercurrent. Structure, tension, and focused energy define the finish, promising impressive depth and complexity.

VITICULTURE: The fruit for this wine was sourced from some of the premier north-blocks of the estate. Being such a warm vintage, the fruit was harvested early with developed, ripe, and intense flavors.

VINIFICATION: This blend is comprised of a selection of individual barrel fermented and aged lots along with stainless steel fermented and aged lots. This creates a wine that possesses a nice balance of spice and toast from the barrels, while respecting and highlighting the fruit. Aged for 10 months in 20% new oak.

INTERESTING FACT: Goose Ridge Estate Winery is certified by Sustainable WA, a 3rd party sustainability program for Washington grape growers. Sustainable WA is a framework of best management practices that focus on the three pillars of sustainability; environmental responsibility, social equity, and economic viability. Goose Ridge was one of the first to gain the certification.

FAMILY: g3 is a tribute to the three generations of the Monson family to have farmed in the Columbia Valley for more than a century.

In the early 1900s, M.L. Monson brought his family to the Yakima Valley. He came with a love for the land and the dream of building a family farming business that would continue for generations.

The family's initial focus was on orchards and cattle, but after talking with Dr. Walter Clore, the visionary behind Washington's wine industry, Arvid Monson built on his father's legacy in establishing vineyards on the arid hills and in the valleys around Richland. That became Goose Ridge Estate Vineyards & Winery.

Today, Goose Ridge is one of the most renowned and progressive of Washington State's nearly 1,000 wineries.

PRODUCER: Goose Ridge ALCOHOL: 13.1%

REGION: Goose Gap AVA, Columbia Valley, Washington

TOTAL ACIDITY: 6.56 G/L

GRAPE(S): 100% Estate-Grown Chardonnay pH: 3.49

