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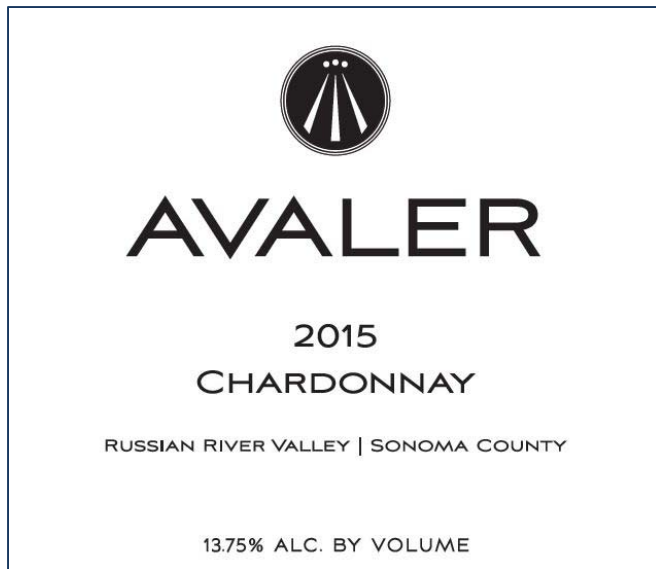
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2015 Chardonnay ~ Russian River Valley Technical Information



Vineyard: Inspiration Vineyards

Appellation: Russian River Valley

Varietal Blend: 100% Chardonnay

Harvest Date: September 1st 2015

Brix at Harvest: 23.8°

Total Acidity: 0.68 g/L

pH: 3.36

Alcohol: 13.75%

Fermentation / Cellaring: Initial Fermentation for 4 weeks in temperature controlled stainless steel. Stirred and racked off heavy lees into 30% new French oak & 70% neutral oak barrels. Batonnage for three months before a clean rack. Total time in barrel, 16 months.

Bottled Date: February 23rd, 2017

Cases Produced: 177

Avaler is collaboration between two friends, Dylan Sheldon and Jon Phillips, who believe delicious wines should be on your dinner table every night. Small productions of good wines made by good people, Avaler up.

Tasting Notes:

This is a richly satisfying wine that leads off with Fuji apple and wild flower honey. Candied Pineapple and mandarin blossom accents add to its complexity, broadened by nutmeg dusted brioche. It's a food friendly medium bodied and balanced offering, delivering both ripeness and structure.