

# GRGICH HILLS



**GOLD MEDALS:**  
1997 Taster's Guild  
1997 National Orange Show

*Napa Valley*

## CHARDONNAY

### 1994

*O*ur 1994 Chardonnay turned out better than we could have hoped. In terms of richness and complexity, this wine ranks with the best vintages produced by Grgich Hills and offers you, the taster, a delightful experience from beginning to end.

First imagine a concentrated, perfumed aroma of ripe, tropical fruit. Add a dash of vanilla and some generous, toasty oak flavors that only top quality French oak barrels can provide. Finish that off with a long, lingering aftertaste with yeasty hints of freshly baked bread (resulting from the process of leaving the wine on the yeast for a longer length of time). This mental exercise will give you a rough idea of what this wine tastes like. How can you confirm your musings? Try a bottle yourself, and you won't be disappointed.

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1994 CHARDONNAY: Crisp and flinty, with a well-focused core of pear, citrus, lemon and spice, graced by a pretty overlay of smoky, toasty oak. Impressive for its balance and length. Will age well.



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