

AXIOS NAPA VALLEY

KALARIS

Chardonnay 2018

BACKGROUND

The Kalaris brand, named after proprietor Gus Kalaris, evolved from Gus' love of the great wines of Burgundy and his passion for producing California wines reflective of the uniqueness and beauty of their terroir. The Chardonnay from Napa Valley and the Pinot Noir from Sonoma Coast are the impressive results of that mission.

APPELLATION

Napa Valley, Oak Knoll Red Hen Vineyard

TOTAL PRODUCTION

298 cases

COOPERAGE/AGING

60 gallon French Oak. 50% new / 50% one year old. VARIETAL COMPOSITION

100% Chardonnay

ALCOHOL PERCENTAGE

14.2%

"The 2018 Chardonnay Kalaris Family
Vineyards opens with expressive
honey-drizzled apricots, green guava and
fresh pineapple scents plus hints of
lemongrass, candle wax and cashews.
Medium to full-bodied, with a satiny texture
and racy line, it delivers mouth-filling
tropical and stone fruit flavors and a savory
finish."

92+ points -Robert Parker

Wine Advocate