

PALI WINE CO | 2017 CHARDONNAY 'CHAPEL VINEYARDS'

ABOUT OUR 'CHAPEL VINEYARDS' CHARDONNAY

Our single-vineyard Chardonnays feature a highly selective and worthy collection of vineyard-designated wines, bottled individually to showcase the nuanced characteristics of Chardonnay. Pali's 'Chapel Vineyards' (formerly Huber Vineyard) Chardonnay comes from one of the oldest vineyards in the Sta. Rita Hills appellation, where the vines have been meticulously cared for and maintained since 1986. Each vintage benefits from the appellation's cool climate, ocean breezes, coastal fog, and incredible loam soils. The Chardonnay went through a long-cold fermentation before it was barrel-aged in 50% new French oak barrels and 50% neutral French oak barrels for 480 days before bottled.

WINEMAKER NOTES

Very creamy on the nose—shows aromas of peach custard, marshmallow and sea-salt-flecked butter. The palate is also rich with smoked butter, more salt and white-peach flesh, but captures that classic style in a balanced manner.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

- **VINEYARD** : Chapel Vineyards
- **FARMING** : Sustainable
- **ABV** : 14.2%
- **AVA** : Sta. Rita Hills
- **VARIETALS** : 100% Chardonnay
- **PRODUCTION** : 100 Cases
- **FIRST VINTAGE** : 2013
- **ACCOLADES(S)** : 91 Points, Wine Enthusiast

ABOUT PALI WINE CO.

To craft world class, critically acclaimed, site-specific Pinot Noirs and Chardonnays.

Our original Pali brand produces premium Pinot Noir and Chardonnay sourced primarily from vineyards in the Sta. Rita Hills and neighboring wine-growing regions. The region's terroir, including its transverse ranges, limestone rich soils, and cool ocean fog, is ideal for growing Pali's poised Pinot Noir and Chardonnay wine grapes. Pali produces a wide-range of bottlings from entry-level to esoteric vineyard and clonal-specific, from still to sparkling, and from white to pink and red. While most of our grapes come from our Sta. Rita Hills estate 'Pali Vineyard,' Pali partners with a handful of other family-owned and world-renowned vineyards in the area among the likes of Fiddlestix, Rancho La Viña, and Bien Nacido Vineyards. Most recently, Pali has introduced its 'Wild Series,' natural wines made using only wild, naturally occurring yeasts that remain unfinned and unfiltered.

