



KENDALL-JACKSON

CAMELOT HIGHLANDS 2023 CHARDONNAY

SANTA MARIA VALLEY

Jackson Estate wines showcase our cherished vineyard estate properties located on rare, coastal California terroir of mountain tops, ridges, hillsides and raised benchland soils. This limited release allows our winemakers to emphasize the extraordinary terroir of our unique properties and craft very small lots for refined palates.

CAMELOT HIGHLANDS

Grown on the hillside above the Santa Maria Bench in Santa Barbara, the premium blocks of the Camelot Highlands vineyard are dedicated to the Estates Collection bottling. The ancient vines in these blocks have struggled through daily dense fog for over forty years on their own roots stretching down to the prehistoric, seabed soils below.

KEY POINTS

Elevation: 350 - 450 feet

Soil: Sedimentary rock with small rhombohedron pieces of calcium carbonate and limestone.

Climate: A direct west-to-east infusion of daily fog and moderate temperatures combine for an extremely long growing season.

Profile: Pineapple, guava, and tangerine with a lush, rich palate. Notes of cinnamon, candied lime, and vanilla bean create an appealing and long, lingering finish. All of this overlies a touch of salinity and minerality.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Appellation: Santa Maria Valley, Santa Barbara County

Composition: 100% Chardonnay

Barrel Aging: 9 months in French oak (43% new)

Alcohol: 15% | **T.A.:** 5.5g/L | **pH:** 3.53

Total Production: 1,284 cases

