

THE OJAI VINEYARD

2022 CHARDONNAY RANCHO ONTIVEROS

SANTA MARIA VALLEY

The low-yielding and richly flavored Wente clone shows precise balance in the cool Santa Maria Valley. You find scents of poached pear and lemon custard, plus chamomile, shortcake and tropical teases. The palate is curvy upfront, animated by citrusy zip and crisp apple. There's fine pear skin-like grip in the mid-palate, then fresh stony minerals and tingly acidity in the finish.

