Darcie Kent
VINEYARDS

Started from her art studio in 1996, Darcie Kent Vineyards produces world-class, vineyard-focused wines from very particular vineyards in the Central Coast of California. 5th generation vintner and artist Darcie Kent paints each label, and runs the winery with her two daughters, Amanda and Kailyn Kent, 6th generation.

Chardonnay, 2013

Tesla Neighbors, Livermore Valley

The vintage: A crisp, fruit driven wine with flavors of pineapple, mandarin and peach. It exhibits firm acidity with a generously juicy palate, a long lasting fruit finish and a hint of creaminess.

The winemaking: The grapes underwent a gentle press. 85% were matured in stainless steel. The remaining 15% were barrel fermented in neutral oak and underwent Malolactic Fermentation for a touch of creaminess.

Appellation	**Livermore Valley**
Varietal Composition	**80% Chardonnay, 12% Sauvignon Blanc, 8% Grüner Veltliner**
Total Cases	**2,833**
Winemaker	**Julian Halasz**
Release Date	**September 2015**
Alcohol	**14.1%**
pH	**3.55**
TA	**7.9 g/L**
Residual Sugar	**3.9 g/L**
At our Tasting Room	**$20 per bottle**
Suggested BTG	**$9 - $12**

The vineyards: Pistachio Lane is a 20 year old Chardonnay vineyard west of DeMayo and tends towards apple & pear flavors whereas DeMayo is known for its tropical fruit flavors of pineapple and guava. The Old Gum Tree vineyard provided both Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc for mouth-feel and weight. The Rava Vineyard's Grüner Veltliner provides the key lime finish and bright acidity.

© Darcie Kent Vineyards, Livermore, CA www.darciekentvineyards.com