

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.



DeMayo Chardonnay- 2014 Livermore Valley, CA

The Vintage: This Chardonnay utilizes fruit from both cool and warmer spots in the vineyards, creating a burst of fruit flavors from pear and citrus to more tropical fruits such as pineapple. The 100% barrel fermentation and maturation in both French and American oak produces a creamy palate with intriguing mineral notes leading to a long sweet vanilla finish. A pillar of acidity balances this full-bodied chardonnay.

The Winemaking: This is a harmonious balanced and elegant chardonnay that will get media attention. Quality wise similar to the 2010 vintage that was most coveted. Aged 10 months in French and American oak. Cool, slow fermentation.

Appellation	Livermore Valley
Varietal	Chardonnay - 100%
Total Cases	662
Winemaker	Julian Halasz
Release Date	May 2016
Alcohol	14.1%
pH	3.58
TA	6.8 g/L
Residual Sugar	1.4 g/L
At our Tasting Room	\$35
Suggested BTG	\$12 - \$16