

# PROPHET & POET

## 2021 CHARDONNAY

UPPER BARN VINEYARD

### GHOST CAT

#### INTRODUCTION

At 1,800 feet elevation, the Upper Barn Vineyard produces world-class Chardonnay. This wine is both opulent and elegant with a perfect balance of bold fruit but silky texture.

#### VINEYARD

Upper Barn Vineyard is located at 1,800 feet elevation on Alexander Valley Mountain Estate. The vines face west, providing more sun exposure for optimal ripeness. Rooted in Sobrante Loam soil.

#### ACCOLADES

“A bright green-tinged straw color, the 2021 Chardonnay Ghost Cat Upper Barn has a darker mineral profile on the nose, with aromas of wet stone, ripe pear, melon rind, and honeysuckle. Full-bodied, it takes on notes of glycerol richness without being heavy, and it’s long on the palate, with a silky texture and notes of citrus oil throughout, as well as a touch of hazelnut. It has a Corton-like feel and will improve with time in the cellar. Drink 2025–2035. 79 cases were produced.”

97 pts. —Audrey Frick, Jeb Dunnuck, July 2024



#### SOURCING

Upper Barn Vineyard,  
Alexander Valley

#### COMPOSITION

100% Chardonnay

#### AGING

18 months in 50%  
new French oak 550L  
Puncheon Barrels

#### PRODUCTION

79 cases

#### ALCOHOL

14.2%

#### WINEMAKER

Jesse Katz

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