

ON WINE HILL

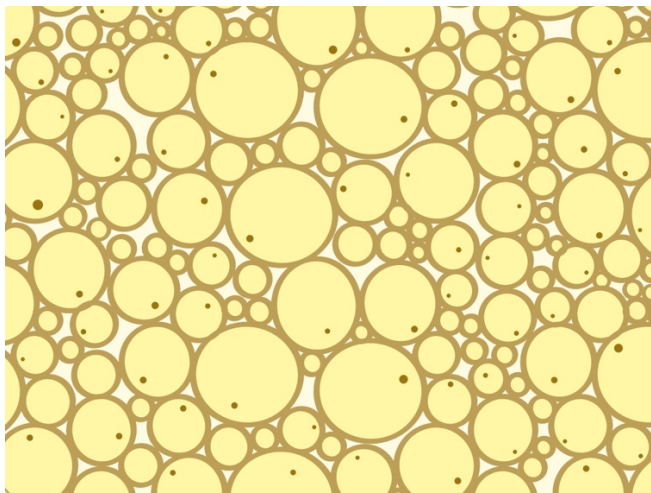
'MILLERANDAGE'

CHARDONNAY (CLONE 548)

**Redacted Vineyard, Tualatin Hills AVA
Willamette Valley, Oregon, U.S.A**

QUICK SUMMARY:

Our vineyard is found on a simple hill that has been at the heart of the Willamette Valley wine story since the late 1880's. Known as "Wine Hill" by the locals, this hill behind Forest Grove is hallowed ground. Our "Millerandage" line up of wines is an extension of that same history. Grown just off Highway 8 in deep loess soils, we specialize in the often maligned and misunderstood Chardonnay clone 548. This clone produces very small clustered grapes and can suffer from "hens and chicks" (aka millerandage). For us, this is an advantage, as the wines have high skin-to-juice ratios, resulting in an incredible tannic structure and high levels of natural acidity. The wine was fermented and aged in neutral French oak barrels for 9 months, then bottled unfiltered (vegan) and unfiltered



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ALL THE DETAILS I COULD THINK OF:

Vintage:	2021
Grapes:	Chardonnay (clone 548)
Vineyard:	Redacted
Vine Age:	8 years
Farming:	Sustainable
Dry Farmed:	Yes
Roots:	Own Rooted
Soil Type:	Laurelwood (loess)
Elevation:	365 ft (111m)
Harvest Date:	September 26th, 2021
Harvest Method:	Hand Harvested
Brix @ Harvest:	23.9
Skin Contact:	None
Chaptalization:	None
Fermentation:	Native/Indigenous
Vessel:	228L Neutral French Oak
Elevage:	9 months
Alcohol (by vol):	13.55 %
M/L:	Yes, Full, Native
Sulfur (so2):	22 mg/L
Finished (ph):	3.35
Total Acidity:	5.9 g/L
Fining:	None (Vegan)
Filtration:	None
Bottle Size:	750 ml & 1.5L
Closure Type:	Agglomerated (10yr)
Bottled Dated:	July 15th, 2022
Production:	75 cases:
Release Date:	September 15th, 2022

This wine was bottled in USA made glass, with a cork from Portugal and a label that was designed and printed in the USA. Please recycle this bottle after you have finished enjoying it.

Our corks are 99.99% free of TCA