

# Longplay

Lia's Vineyard \* Chehalem Mountains

Analog Wine for a Digital World™

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## Longplay™ 2015 "Jory Slope" Chardonnay, Lia's Vineyard

Harvest: September 8, 2016

Vineyard: Lia's Vineyard,  
Chehalem Mountains AVA

Vine age: 24 years

Clone: 100 percent Wenté

Cellar: Cool fermentation and élevage in neutral,  
French oak barrels. Malolactic  
conversion was discouraged.

Production: 70 cases

Alcohol by volume: 14.5 percent

Bottled: August 25, 2016



Our Chardonnay is always special and somehow manages to show the best each vintage has to offer. The Wente cuttings were planted in 1991 on a steep, south-facing slope which provides excellent exposure helping to ensure optimal ripeness and reins in the vines' vigor limiting yields while increasing concentration.

The 2015 growing season was a warm one and our Chardonnay was picked ripe. The wine delivers weight and spiciness consistent with previous vintages but with a bit more body than recent years. Hints of tropical flowers on the bouquet. On the palate, white fruit leads with a slight hint of anise. We especially appreciate the length of the finish and the balance of this wine. It is a pure expression of the 2015 vintage from our vineyard.

This wine reminds us of a tango: Crisp, spicy ... seductive.

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