

HUNDRED SUNS WINE

Hundred Suns Wine 2020 Old Eight Cut Chardonnay

Willamette Valley Alc / Vol: 12.9 %

Old Eight Cut: A diamond cut dating back to the 1400s using simple tools and few cuts to enhance the natural brilliance of the stone without disguising its true nature.

The 2020 vintage is a composition of three vineyards, 50% Koosah vineyard (Eola-Amity), 32% Three Cedars (Chehalem Mtn) and 18% Royer Vineyard (Eola-Amity)

Winemaking:

The 2020 vintage was a warm and consistent growing season. Our collection of vineyards were picked with an uncanny balance of acidity and flavor. The resulting grapes were immediately whole cluster pressed and only the juice from the middle cut of the press cycle was selected and sent into stainless steel tanks to rest. 3-5 days later native yeast fermentation took hold and the wines were then moved into a collection of 15% new and 85% seasoned french oak barrels. The wines were gently stirred once a week during primary fermentation and then remained on the lees until bottling. The composition of the three vineyards was blended into tanks after 11 months and bottled unfiltered in August of 2021.

Tasting Notes:

Golden straw with a hint of pale green at the edges, this wine has aromas of Meyer lemons, vanilla bean, and wet stone. The mouthfeel is round but sails across brillant neworks of acidity and fine grain textures that keep your mouth watering for more.