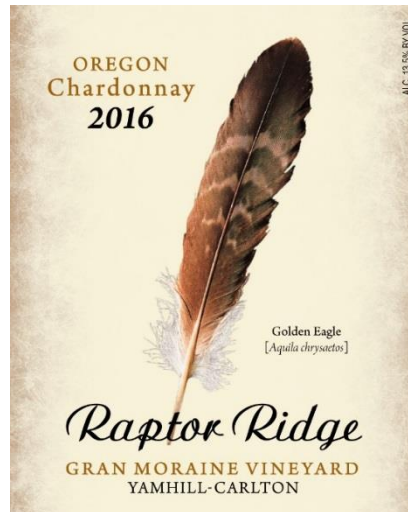


# Raptor Ridge

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## 2016 Gran Moraine Vineyard Chardonnay

The 2016 Chardonnay is a Vineyard designated Dijon Clone 76 hailing from 210-acre Gran Moraine Vineyard in the Yamhill-Carlton AVA. Gran Moraine is comprised of well-drained, ancient Willakenzie and Hazelair soils and is situated in the foothills of the Coast Range at 180-240 feet elevation 10 miles west of Carlton, Oregon.

This balanced wine was barrel fermented, with just 17% new oak, the remainder neutral. To create a creamy, round texture, regular lees stirring was employed. Malolactic fermentation contributed balanced acidity. The resulting wine has a creamy and round texture and mouthfeel, yet is still very clean and crisp, focused on the ripe citrus spectrum.

- Bottled: August 8, 2017
- Alcohol: 13.5%
- Case Production: 360
- Clonal Selection: Dijon Clone 76
- Harvest Dates: September 17, 2016
- Brix: 22.1
- pH: 3.26
- TA: 5.4
- 100% Whole Cluster Pressed
- Light Bentonite fining in cold settling tank
- Oak: French, 9 months 17% New Oak
- Aged on lees 10 months w/stirring
- SRP: \$50