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2008 Foxglove Chardonnay

A Chardonnay Dry White Table wine from San Luis Obispo, Central Coast, California, USA

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Wine Advocate # 184 Aug 2009	Robert Parker	91	Drink: 2009 - 2010	\$11-\$18 (17)
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The sensational 2008 Chardonnay Central Coast, which is fermented and aged completely in stainless steel with no malolactic fermentation, is a 30,000-cuvee of fabulous Chardonnay. Loads of tropical fruit, honeysuckle, and orange blossom notes fill the olfactory sense, as does the luscious medium-bodied texture on the palate. The wine is buttressed by crisp underlying acidity, and the result is a fresh, naked expression of Chardonnay that is top-flight. Drink it over the next year or so.

These are absolutely spectacular bargains from the very high-quality Varner Winery in the Santa Cruz Mountains. This is their less expensive line-up of wines, and I encourage readers to try them – they are true winners.

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