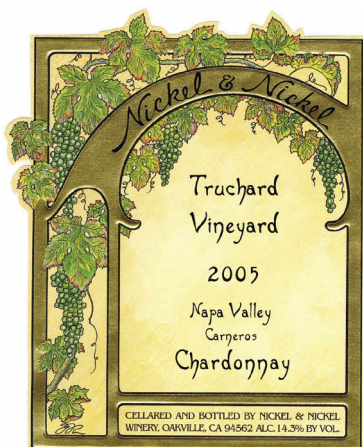


# WINE ENTHUSIAST

M A G A Z I N E

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## 90 **Nickel & Nickel 2005 Truchard Vineyard Chardonnay (Carneros).**

The vineyard has been a reliable source of Chardonnays that display a good Carneros character. Acidity is never a problem, and the wines often have a Chablis-like minerality. Ripeness varies by vintage; this wine is from a cooler season, and shows lime zest and tart green apple flavors that new oak has made creamy and rich.