



milbrandt

VINEYARDS

2016 THE ESTATES *Evergreen Chardonnay*

WINE NOTES

“Our 2016 Evergreen Chardonnay has aromas of ripe pear, baked spiced apple, wet stone, jasmine, and a hint of butterscotch. This wine is full-bodied with a generous entry that gives way to a full, round creamy mid-palate followed by a hint of vanilla on the long lingering finish. Enjoy The Estates Evergreen Chardonnay with soft cheeses, herb crusted halibut or scallops.”

-Butch Milbrandt, Winery Owner

OVERVIEW

Pioneer of the Columbia Valley wine region, Butch Milbrandt saw potential in Eastern Washington. In 1997, this fourth-generation farmer took a risk in planting grapes and soon became recognized for helping establish two of the top AVAs in Washington State: Ancient Lakes and Wahluke Slope.

Never forgetting his farming roots, Butch is a true “Renaissance rancher” who loves to ride his motorcycle, fly his plane, and cook. In the military, he cooked for his company. It was then he honed a talent for pairing food and wine and seasoned his desire to own a winery.

Now a multi-generational brand with Butch taking the lead, Milbrandt Vineyards remains a symbol of perseverance and reward. Once a potato farm, the brand is now producing 40,000+ cases of wine.

A premium wine tier as well as an introductory wine tier is available nationwide, both delivering uncompromising quality. Collectively, the Milbrandts have contributed to more 90-point wines than any other fourth-generation farming family in Washington.

COMPOSITION:
100% CHARDONNAY

AVA: ANCIENT LAKES OF THE
COLUMBIA VALLEY

ALCOHOL: 14.5%

RS: DRY

TA: 4.5

PH: 3.85

HARVEST: OCTOBER 18, 2016

100% OAK AGED IN
20% NEW FRENCH OAK