

2018 CHAKANA ESTATE CHARDONNAY Chakana Winery Argentina – Uco Valley

ABOUT CHAKANA

Chakana Winery is located 3,149 feet above sea level at the foothills of the Andes Mountains in Agrelo, Mendoza. It is one of the leading projects among the new generation of winemakers dedicated to the discovery and expression of the Andean diversity of climate and soils. Chakana, who is certified biodynamic, owns 193 hectares of vineyards, spread across sites in Lujan de Cuyo and Valle de Uco.

ABOUT THE WINE

Chakana is the name of the Southern Cross constellation. Its rotation in the sky throughout the year made it an effective agricultural calendar for the ancient Andean people.

The "yaguarete" (jaguar) on the label was known by the ancient Andean people as the "lord of the starred night"; the wildest known animal. Estate Red Blend is from Chakana's Altamira (3,200 ft elevation) and Gualtallary (5,500 ft elevation) vineyards.

Estate Chardonnay is from Chakana's Altamira vineyard (3,200 ft elevation). Yellow color with green hints. Deep and clean aromas of pineapple, toasty notes and a fresh mineral character and finish. A good body, dense and lively on the palate.

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Vintage	2018
Appellation	Valle de Uco – Altamira & Gualtallary
Varietal(s)	90% Chardonnay and 10% Sauvignon Blanc
Aging	Fermentation with indigenous yeasts. 25% of the wine is fermented in barriques and aged 6 months in oak; 75% in concrete eggs.
Farming	Organic
Soil Type	sandy loam with calcareous gravels
Size	6/750ml
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