



# Loring Wine Company 2011 Rosella's Vineyard Chardonnay

## Wine Details

<b>AVA</b>	Santa Lucia Highlands
<b>Exposure</b>	Southeast
<b>Trellising</b>	VSP Unilateral
<b>Spacing</b>	5 ft x 8 ft
<b>Soils</b>	Arroyo Seco Sandy Loam
<b>Clones</b>	Dijon 76
<b>Alcohol</b>	14.9 %
<b>pH</b>	3.41
<b>ML</b>	100%
<b>Barrel Program</b>	Aged 10 Months in 50% French Oak (50% New) & 50% American Oak (50% New)

**Cases Produced** 250

Rosella's Vineyard is located in the northern portion of the Santa Lucia Highlands in Monterey CA. It's owned by Gary Francioni, who also owns Sierra Mar Vineyard and co-owns Garys' Vineyard along with Gary Pisoni. The vineyard is named for his wife, Rosella.

## Reviews

**Antonio Galloni (Wine Advocate)**

**(90 - 92) Points**

*The 2011 Chardonnay Rosella's Vineyard is strikingly beautiful. Citrus, nectarines, white flowers and spices are all layered into this beautifully delineated, vibrant Chardonnay. There is plenty of potential in the 2011 Rosella's. Anticipated maturity: 2013-2016.*

**Jim Laube (Wine Spectator)**

**90 Points**

*A full-bodied, robust style, with abundant and evenly distributed flavors, featuring notes of ripe pear, guava and nectarine balanced by spicy, smoky oak. Ends with a long and zesty finish.*

