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Robert Parker
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RIVERA CHARDONNAY PRELUDIO N. I 2015

“This fabulous value wine has taken a huge jump forward in quality. The 2015 Castel del Monte Chardonnay Preludio N. I is a nicely executed wine that shows the ongoing promise of white grapes from the “heel of the boot” of Italy. The bouquet offers exotic fruit and honeysuckle with stone fruit and melon. Those fruity tones are very lively and vibrant. In the mouth, the wine shows medium body and attractive creaminess. The wine is fermented in stainless steel and aged in cement vats. **First produced in 1985, this was the first commercial Chardonnay made in Puglia.” - M.L.**

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