



**MONTCALM**  
WINE IMPORTERS, LTD



<b>WINERY</b>	Tenuta Sant'Anna
<b>WINE</b>	Chardonnay Venezia DOC
<b>REGION</b>	Veneto
<b>VARIETAL</b>	100% Chardonnay
<b>LOCATION OF VINEYARDS</b>	Estate-owned vineyards in Loncon di Annone Veneto
<b>ALTITUDE</b>	20–30 meters above sea level
<b>TYPE OF PLANTING</b>	Traditional
<b>SOIL</b>	Medium blend with clay-like tendency
<b>TYPE OF CULTIVATION</b>	Guyot, Sylvoz
<b>VINIFICATION</b>	The grapes are harvested at night or at the first light of dawn to preserve the varietal aromas in cool temperatures. After cold-soaking, the grapes are gently pressed and the must obtained is transferred to stainless steel vats for fermentation.
<b>AGING</b>	The wine rests on yeasts for about 3 months in steel vats, and then in bottle for another 2 months. No oak.
<b>ALCOHOL CONTENT</b>	12%
<b>OENOLOGIST</b>	Riccardo Cottarella (consulting enologist)
<b>NOTES</b>	A vine from the region of Burgundy, widespread due to its adaptability in virtually all of the best vine-growing areas in the world. In the clayey terrain of the eastern part of the Veneto region, this wine acquires particular elegance and mellowness, bringing out these singular qualities of the grape.

#### TASTING NOTES

This un-oaked Chardonnay is characterized by an intense straw yellow color with golden highlights, and by a warm and intense luminosity. On the nose it offers floral scents and fruity notes reminiscent of Golden Delicious apple, pineapple over mineral notes. Flavorful on the palate with a mellowness and freshness that bring out the quality of the grapes with great balance. Excellent as an aperitif, with appetizers, salads, poultry dishes and seafood courses. Serve well chilled.

#### ABOUT THE WINERY

Tenuta Sant'Anna is the historical heart of Tenute di Genagricola (Montcalm's mother company) and the best known and longest standing of the groups' brands.

Founded in the early 60's, Tenuta Sant'Anna was one of the first viticultural properties acquired by Genagricola and ever since the 1970's it has been stretching the limits of innovation. Equipped with the latest technology along with professional competence and know-how, the winery soon became one of the most prominent protagonists of the Italian wine-making scene. The estate, which lies some 50 km east of Venice, covers 150 hectares, 140 of which are dedicated to vine growing.

The year 2015 heralded big changes for Genagricola with hiring famous winemaker Riccardo Cottarella as consulting enologist and by giving its brands a fresh new look.

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