

# William Chris

VINEYARDS

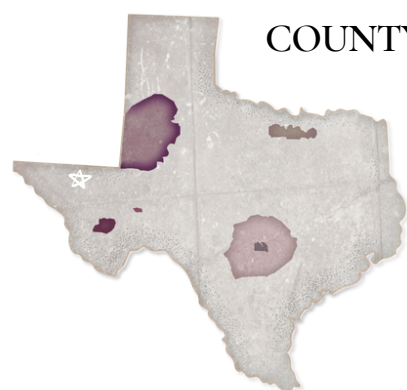
Focused on Texas grown wines made in an Old World style with low-intervention winemaking. Since 2008, founders William "Bill" Blackmon and Chris Brundrett have sourced grapes from Estate vineyards and partners alike, prizing sustainable practices and the expression of Texan terroir.

## 2025 SAUVIGNON BLANC Dell Valley Vineyard

The Sauvignon Blanc grapes in this blend were planted in far West Texas in 1987, and this wine is our tribute to the shining characteristics of this famed white grape from the mineral soils at Dell Valley Vineyard.

VARIETIES: 100% Sauvignon Blanc

VINEYARD: Dell Valley Vineyard



COUNTY: Hudspeth

Continually planted since 1987, the vines at Dell Valley are deeply rooted in sloped sandy, caliche soils at over 3,500 ft elevation. Sitting next to vast alfalfa fields outside of any currently designated American Viticultural Area, the vines are mightily tended by Philippe, whose experience with growing grapevines began at an early age on the French island of Corsica.

2025 VINTAGE: Solid spring and summer rains gave the vines a healthy start to the season.

Moderate temperatures and a dry harvest led to a long season and exceptional grape development.

### TASTING NOTES

Romantic aromas of oyster shell, blooming flowers, white almond, magnolia oil, lemon tart, pastry dough, and petrichor (rain on dry ground or concrete). The palate is medium bodied with a hypnotizing texture that glides slowly but remains tight from the salty acidity. Dry.

### FOOD PAIRING



Pair with white fish or scallops, light buttery dishes, fresh herb seasonings, and spicy cuisine.



WINEMAKING: Fermented in large oak fermenter at 55° F for a slow 21 days.

Aged in large oak fermenter for 6 months and stainless steel tank for 2 more. Partial malolactic conversion.

AGE OF VINES: 38 years

Serve at 49° F

SOIL TYPE: Sandy loam over caliche with river rock

Drink now to 2034

ELEVATION: 3,750 ft

ABV: 13.3% | pH: 3.40 | TA: 6.07 g/L | RS: 0.45 g/L

CASES PRODUCED: 670



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100% Texas grown wines.