

2008 REVIEWS

VALDIVIESO

WINE ENTHUSIAST—JULY, 2008

VALDIVIESO 2006 CHARDONNAY

85
POINTS

Campfire aromas smolder on the nose, indicating some oak treatment. That woody character carries onto the palate, where the wine mixes round melon flavors with an almost barbecued spiciness. Fortunately, the acidity is sound. *** **BEST BUY** ***



VALDIVIESO CHARDONNAY 2006 RESERVA

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POINTS

Plump and ready to drink, this is big and meaty stuff, and in the end it's like so many ultra ripe, fat Chardonnays from Chile. This does not mean that there isn't citrus on parade, all ending in a finish on tangerine alley. If it lacks nuance it makes up for it in ripeness fruit. *** **BEST BUY** ***

