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**2006 Sonoma Coast Andreen-Gale**

**Chardonnay** Andreen-Gale is on its way to becoming Flowers' blend of estate vineyards (this vintage is about 80 percent estate; by 2008, it will be all estate). It's all barrel-fermented, with a higher proportion of new barrels than Flowers uses in the Sonoma Coast wine. For now, this wine's aroma and flavor are restrained, giving a clean, gentle impression that's light rather than pushed. There's the warm spice of alcohol in the end, like tasting paprika on fresh pineapple. Decant for grilled sea bass.