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The Waterstone Winery, launched just six years ago, sources grapes from the cool Carneros region of Napa Valley. The 2004 vintage is the winery's second Chardonnay. It's less about oak than it is about the fruit, which has compelling crisp green apple character.

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Smooth and juicy with depth and lovely richness; balanced, long and stylish. -Anthony Dias Blue Reviews

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Bright, mildly blossomy, lemon-like fruit in the aromas sets the tone of this fresh, crisply balanced bottling right from the start, and, while by no means a wiry wine in the mouth, it definitely leans to the citrusy side of the varietal spectrum. It shows a scant edge of pithy bitterness, but it still makes the cut, and a brief bit of bottle age could bring it all the smoothing it needs. **GOOD VALUE**