



CALONA VINEYARDS



artist series | *no.6* | A STORY THAT BEGINS ON THE LABEL AND FINISHES ON YOUR PALATE



Calona Vineyards *Artist Series* tells a story that begins on the label and finishes on your palate. It's about award-winning wines and wonderful art brought together to reflect each other's brilliance. Each painting is carefully selected for the special way that it evokes the unique flavour of the wine. The orchids in Eric Aragon's "Christopher's Dream" are delicate and understated, but like our Pinot Blanc it has an underlying strength, elegance and style. It's an exhibition of individual taste and a showcase for the wines of Calona Vineyards.

#### PINOT BLANC 2002

Enriched with aromas of pear and ripe apples along with a note of honey. This wine is soft and fruity on the palate with a complex, crisp finish.

#### WINEMAKER NOTES

Immediately after picking, the fruit is gently whole cluster pressed. A portion of the juice was fermented and aged on the lees with stirring, the balance is slowly cool-fermented in steel tanks to enhance the fruit characters.

#### VINTAGE AWARDS

2001	GOLD	All-Canadian Wine Championship
2001	SILVER	Canadian Wine Awards
2001	BRONZE	Okanagan Wine Festival
2000	SILVER	Okanagan Wine Festival
2000	SILVER	Intervin International
2000	SILVER	International Wine & Spirit Competition

#### FOOD SUGGESTIONS

Grilled halibut or sea bass.

DRYNESS	DRY	•••••	SWEET
BODY	DELICATE	•••••	VERY FULL
ACIDITY	SOFT	•••••	VERY CRISP
TANNINS	NONE	•••••	HEAVY
OAK	NONE	•••••	HEAVY

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