



John Larchet Wines



The Catcher

*I*t seems appropriate that these wines come from vineyards planted close to the beautiful Western Australia coastline, given that “The Catcher” pays homage to those who have fished oceans and rivers over the centuries.

Whilst many have succeeded with little more than their bare hands, it has been a keen eye, a rod and some form of hook that has caught the bounty. A tradition, a pastime and a noble occupation, that the history books indicate dates back at least 30,000 years.

This tradition continues across the globe, including on the oceans, beaches and rivers of Western Australia. The Catcher wines can be consumed on any occasion, whether fishing or simply enjoying the days catch.

John Larchet, Proprietor





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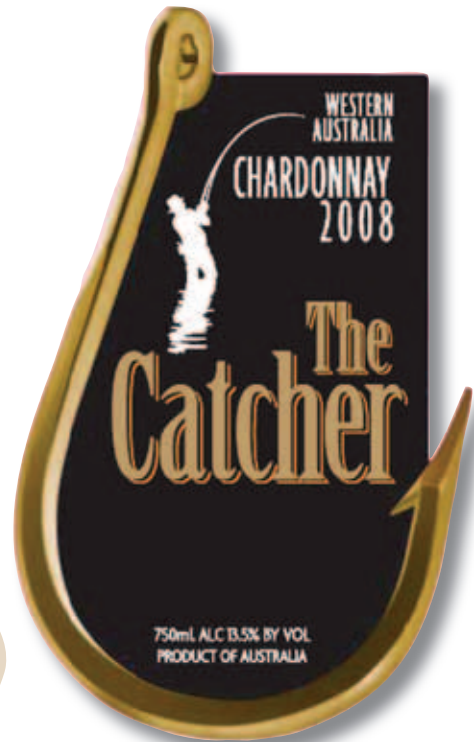


2007 The Catcher Shiraz

Fruit sourced from well established vineyards around the township of Margaret River have again produced a wine with those classic spice and pepper notes that makes wine from this region so appealing. Delicious and well defined red and black fruits add to the character and texture of the wine. The influence of predominantly french oak adds complexity and softness. Great intensity of flavor all the way to the finish. This wine has the structure to develop well over the next 3-5 years. A great catch for any occasion.

Vineyard: Margaret River Western Australia
Variety: 100% Shiraz

Wine Analysis: 13.5% alcohol • 5.67g/l titratable acidity • 0.69g/l residual sugar • pH: 3.44



2008 The Catcher Chardonnay

We were blessed with ideal growing conditions for this vintage. The vineyards yielded exceptional quality optimally ripe chardonnay fruit with great freshness and intensity. This wine exhibits wonderful aromatic characters of stone fruit, hints of apple, lemon and peach. It's vibrant and lively to taste with a very appealing lush texture. A young wine that will develop beautifully in the bottle. Drink it young and fresh. A great catch for any occasion.

Vineyard: Margaret River Western Australia
Variety: 100% Chardonnay

Wine Analysis: 13.5% alcohol • 6.75g/l titratable acidity • 0.95g/l residual sugar • pH: 3.29