



**Kathryn Kennedy
NV Brut lot 06/04**

Santa Cruz Mountains
Sparkling Wine
Méthode Champenoise

Sparkling wine history is as deep in the Santa Cruz Mountains as any region in California. Since the 1880s true Burgundian grape varieties have been grown in this coastal climate ideal for making sparkling wine. Kathryn Kennedy's tiny production is rare in California, where most sparkling wine producers are quite large. This cult bottling is sourced from tiny mountain vineyards and hand crafted using real *méthode champenoise*.

484 cases were produced by combining:
65% Chardonnay
35% Pinot Noir

Non Vintage breakdown:
74% 2003
21% 2002
4% 2001
1% 2000

After 13 years *en tirage* and finished with *zero dosage*, we now can offer this truly distinctive dry Sparkling Wine expressive of the Santa Cruz Mountains. Showing fully integrated aroma of ocean side minerality, ripe citrus and amazing bright acidity; all brought together into an elegant and undeniably sophisticated texture. This wine has uncommon grace and balance. It is ready to drink now. With less than 500 cases produced this is indeed the very definition of a "*California Grower Champagne*". Secure yours right away!