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***** FACT SHEET *****

2002 Stolpman Vineyards viognier

VARIETAL(S): 100% viognier

APPELLATION: 100% Santa Ynez Valley

VINEYARD(S): 100% Stolpman Vineyard

BRIX AT HARVEST: ~25.6

PH: 3.52

TA: 6.09 g/L

ALCOHOL: 15.7%

COOPERAGE: Neutral oak and stainless steel barrels – no new wood. Barrel aged for 6 months

FERMENTATION: Whole-cluster pressed, cold settled, barrel fermented in neutral oak and stainless steel barrels with K1 (V1116) and VL3 yeasts. No malolactic fermentation.

PRODUCTION: 230 cases

RECOMMENDED RETAIL: \$28.00

WINEMAKER'S COMMENTS: From a two acre block at Stolpman Vineyards in Ballard Canyon, this wine consistently shows an amazingly rich mouthfeel and textbook viognier bouquet without becoming cloying or over the top. A tribute to the vineyard.

TASTING NOTES: Typical viognier nose, with peaches and orange blossoms. Very rich on the palate, with white peach and citrus flavors and a persistent finish.