



## 2013 SHEPHERDS MARK

In the early 1900's, pioneering shepherders left their mark on the Horse Heaven Hills in the form of Rock Monuments. These monuments, some still standing along the ridge line of our Destiny Ridge Estate Vineyard were used for marker identification, recreational pastime, artistic expression, and even as simply as to leave ones mark on the world. We dedicate this Rhone style blend to all the pioneers of the Horse Heaven Hills and continue our efforts to leave our mark on the world through the artistic expression of our wines. This unique and flavorful white wine boasts floral notes of lavender, layered with Anjou pear, lemon lime, and honeycrisp apple, all leading into a delicious mix of citrus and white peach. Beautifully balanced with a viscous yet crisp mouth-feel that lingers on the palate and leads to a refreshing finish.

### ABOUT ALEXANDRIA NICOLE CELLARS

Founders Jarrod and Ali Boyle are dedicated to producing small lots of hand-crafted wine from our own Destiny Ridge Estate Vineyard. Through attentive viticulture management, balanced crop levels, gentle hand-harvesting and processing of grapes, and passionate winemaking, we produce consistent quality in every bottle. Located in the Horse Heaven Hills, our 327-acre estate vineyard is located high on the bluffs overlooking the majestic Columbia River. It is here, high on the dominate ridge, that our grapes thrive in these unique soils. It is here that our winemaker Jarrod nurtures the fruit quality from bud to bottle. Our belief is that quality starts in the vineyard.

### JUST THE STATS

**Appellation:** Horse Heaven Hills  
**Vineyard:** Destiny Ridge Vineyard  
**Aging:** Stainless Steel  
**Varietal:** 60% Roussanne, 30% Marsanne,  
10% Viognier

**pH:** 3.59

**TA:** 0.64 g/L

**Alcohol %:** 13.4

**Production:** Release Limited to 613 cases  
\$25 / 750ml. bottle (Retail)

*Jarrod L. Boyle*

*Winemaker*

#### Awards

Seattle Wine Awards | Double Gold

Sunset Wine Awards | Gold

