

This is handpicked fruit from our Estate Vineyard Destiny Ridge. The 2016 growing season was met with many challenges due to rains late in the season, while this can be an issue with some whites given our warm site we were able to ripen and bi-pass any issues that other AVA's may have had. The 2016 Roussanne is bursting with aromatics of citrus and stone fruit to this this already perfumed bouquet of fresh cut flowers and a touch of honey. Our vineyard staffs meticulous work in the vineyard allowing the winemaking team to work with the fruit during fermentation and bring out tropical flavors of peach, green apple and layers of honeysuckle that flow through the palate. Flavor profile is kept in focus due to the balanced amount of acidity on finish. Roussanne is great for some intriguing food matches, so try pairing with semi soft cheeses like fresh blue cheese and triple cream, steamed Manila clams or try something fun like a seafood pasta.

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 HillsVineyard:Destiny Ridge VineyardAging:Stainless Steel FermentationVarietal:100% RoussannepH: 3.58Release Limited to 241 casesTA: 0.59 g/LRelease Limited to 241 cases\$28 / 750ml. bottle (Retail)

Jarrod L. Boyle Winemaker

