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## 2017 RIESLING

COLUMBIA VALLEY

### VINEYARD & HARVEST

Bacchus, Columbia Valley, 100%

### VARIETAL COMPOSITION

Riesling 100%

### VINTAGE NOTES

2017 started on the same track as 2016: bud break occurred a bit ahead of normal and was followed by a hot summer. The warm summer months led to cooler conditions in September and October. This resulted in deep intensity and balanced flavors. We picked the Riesling on September 25th.

### WINEMAKER'S NOTES

All of the fruit for the 2017 Riesling was sourced from the Bacchus Vineyard located near Pasco, WA on southwest-facing hillsides above the Columbia River. After harvest, the grapes were whole-cluster pressed and the juice was allowed to settle at 50F before racking off the solids. We inoculated with a Riesling-specific yeast and fermented the juice at a relatively cool temperature. Fermentation was stopped to soften the wine's crisp acidity. Aromas of Saturn peach, lychee and coriander lead into an off-dry mouth-filling experience of juicy stone fruits and followed by a balanced acidity on the finish.

### SPECIFICATIONS

AGING:	Stainless Steel
pH:	2.95
TA:	7.8 g/L
ALCOHOL:	11.5%
RESIDUAL SUGAR:	36.9 g/L
BOTTLING DATE:	January 23, 2018
PRODUCTION:	217 Cases

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