

# 2018 Riesling

WILLAMETTE VALLEY  
OREGON



Riesling is extremely receptive to its growing location and shows the characteristics in which it is grown with clarity – some might even say more so than Pinot Noir (gasp!). Our Riesling receives no oak or significant aging to modify its original character. This Riesling expresses the rocky soils and windswept slope on which it was grown. The 2018 vintage is a foray into a slightly sweeter style, as the vintage had sky-high acid which begged to be balanced with the retention of residual sugar.

## VINTAGE

The 2018 vintage saw some of the warmest and driest months on record; however moisture and cool temperatures returned to finish the season. The 2018 wines show beautiful aromatics, high acid, and finesse.

## TASTING NOTES & ACCOLADES

Pale straw in color, this wine has an intense and heady bouquet of honeysuckle, orange blossom, and raw honey. Sweet and broad shouldered on the attack, but then austere and brimming with minerality through the midpalate and finish. - *Rachel Rose, Winemaker. Spring 2019.*

**90 Points** - *Wine & Spirits, October 2019*



## VINEYARDS

100% Riesling – Bryn Mawr Vineyards · Eola-Amity Hills · Willamette Valley · Oregon

## WINEMAKING

CASE PRODUCTION: 150

FERMENTATION STYLE: neutral vessels. Aged on lees 5 months.

TA: 9.1 g/L

pH: 2.93

RS: 16.6 g/L

SUGAR : ACID RATIO = 1.8, IRF Medium Dry.

ABV: 12.8%

## CELLARING

1-8 years post vintage.

2019 – 2026

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