



**MIDNIGHT**  
CELLARS

2019

**AURORA  
RESERVE WHITE**

PASO ROBLES, CA

**TASTING NOTES**

Ripe pear and white blossoms dominate the nose with hints of lemon. Tropical fruit and citrus notes create weight in the mid-palate and lead to a crisp, lingering finish one would expect from our reserve white blend.

<b>WINEMAKER</b>	Rich Hartenberger
<b>VARIETAL COMPOSITION</b>	38% Viognier, 38% Grenache Blanc, 12% Picpoul Blanc and 12% Roussanne
<b>COOPERAGE</b>	15% New French oak, 85% neutral
<b>BARREL AGING</b>	8 months
<b>pH / TA</b>	3.20 / 0.720
<b>RESIDUAL SUGAR</b>	0.03%
<b>ABV</b>	14.3%
<b>PRODUCTION</b>	195



2019 was one of the rare vintages where the weather cooperated and we were able to harvest all of the fruit when we wanted to instead of being pressured by impending adverse weather. Tremendous wine quality across all of the wines with very few problematic fermentations. Chemistry (pH, TA, sugars) were consistently in the proper ranges and the resulting wines are very ageable with excellent tannin structure.

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