

2018 KNIGHTS BRIDGE SAUVIGNON BLANC **FAIRVIEW**

VINEYARD COLLECTION

Our Vineyard Collection wines highlight unique characteristics from specific blocks. These place- and terroir-driven wines reflect a pure expression of our estate vineyard in Knights Valley and winemaker Douglas Danielak's guiding hand to bring out their highest qualities. Each block name is grounded in family history and our rural roots to reflect and honor our values. Ethel Linville Bailey was an exceptional and dedicated teacher. Her first teaching post was in a rural, one-room schoolhouse in Fairview, TN and it set her on a life-long journey as a passionate educational leader.

WINEMAKING

It makes sense that a great Cabernet vineyard would also be a great place to grow Sauvignon Banc grapes: Cabernet Sauvignon is a coupling of Sauvignon Blanc and Cabernet Franc and we plant all three varieties on our estate vineyard. We night harvest by hand to preserve complex aromas and flavors and for better control over the fermentation process. The grapes are then sorted and lightly pressed; the juice is settled completely before beginning a slow fermentation at cool temperatures.

TASTING NOTES

The 2018 Fairview is a wine of energy and drive with exquisite aromas of chamomile, white peach, and lemon. Expansive, wonderfully complex, beautifully structured and concentrated with nuances of vanilla and creamy yeastiness counterpointed by refreshing acidity. The wine is utterly seamless with proportion and balance from beginning to end.

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Knights Valley AVA

Knights Bridge Estate Vineyard VINEYARD

4B, 6B **BLOCKS**

100% Sauvignon Blanc VARIETY

October 5, 2018 HARVEST DATE

COOPERAGE Aged 7 months in 85% stainless steel,

15% new French oak barrels

14.5% ALCOHOL

April 8, 2019 BOTTLING DATE September 7, 2019 RELEASE DATE

186 CASES \$70 PRICE