

PEJU

In 1983, Tony and Herta(HB) Peju purchased thirty acres in the famed Rutherford district of the Napa Valley. They worked hard to build a winery, plant estate vineyards and raise their family. They remain family-owned, with their two daughters, Ariana and Lisa guiding the business today. Ariana and Lisa are bringing fresh innovation while maintaining the meticulous focus on quality that began over 35 years ago. With its landmark tower and warm hospitality, PEJU Winery is an integral part of the Napa Valley landscape.



NAPA VALLEY 2019 SAUVIGNON BLANC

TASTING

Very pale straw color, with great intensity on the nose with notes of white peach, passion fruit, citrus and elderflower. Its clean lines and crisp acidity complement juicy tropical flavors of pineapple, guava, honeydew melon and lime.

DETAILS:

Appellation: *Napa Valley*
Vineyards: *Persephone & Tess*
Composition: *100% Sauvignon Blanc*
Harvest: *August - September 2019*
Bottling: *Jan-March 2020*
Release: *March 2020*
Production: *9,120 cases*
Winemaker: *Sara Fowler*
Alcohol: *13.8%*

ACCLAIM

2019 VINTAGE
93 Points, *Anthony Dias Blue*
91 Points, *San Diego Intl. Wine Challenge*
91 Points, *James Suckling*
90 Points, *Wine Enthusiast*

2018 VINTAGE
91 Points, *James Suckling*
90 Points, *The Terroirist*
Best in Class, *Critics Challenge*

VINEYARDS

We believe that great wines are made in the vineyard and we are committed to farming sustainably and naturally to preserve these properties for the long term. We are certified Napa Green for our winery and vineyards. Two of our estate-grown vineyards contribute to the richness of this wine; Persephone and Tess.

VINTAGE

The beginning of the 2019 growing season was defined by copious rainfall and late soil moisture. The long, warm summer saw very few extreme heat events, with foggy mornings setting the stage for vibrant and expressive wines. The long, relatively mild finish to the season, not without its moments of unpredictability, helped to preserve freshness and finesse in the fruit with abundant hang time teasing out great color, and texture.

