

# WATERBROOK



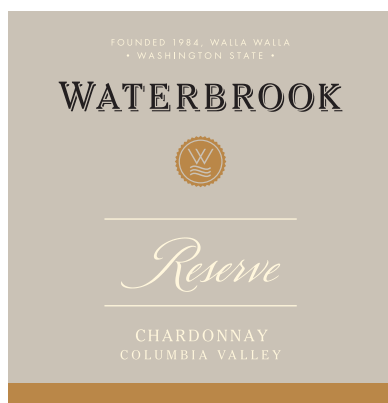
• 2009 •

## Reserve

### CHARDONNAY

COLUMBIA VALLEY

*Classic in style and taste this rich Chardonnay is filled with concentrated layers of fruit. This Chardonnay shines with lush, powerful fruit and a soft supple finish.*



TASTING NOTE  
by Winemaker  
JOHN FREEMAN

Buttered toast notes surround aromatics of Comice pear and caramelized pineapple on fragrant nose. Wonderful baked apple and lemon curd flavors are rounded out with caramel and toasted almonds. The balanced finish finds lingering oak and a slight minerality.

VINEYARD SOURCES

Dionysis, Canyon Ranch, Oasis, Willard

BLEND

98% Chardonnay, 2% Viognier

VINTAGE NOTE

Bud break was a bit later than normal for the 2009 vintage. However, due to a long, hot summer, the grapes had plenty of hang time and experienced an accelerated growth. Harvest began early and was completed quicker than normal. The shorter harvest was a blessing as most vineyards were not effected by the October 10th frost because picking was already complete. The 2009 wines promise great color, balanced acidity and well developed fruit flavors.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Smoked Salmon, Roast Chicken,  
Pasta with Clam Sauce, Cheese Plate

REVIEWS

New Release

#### WINE MAKING NOTES

**Harvest Date:** 9/29/09 - 10/14/09

**Yeast:** Wild Yeast, Premier Cuvee

**Malolactic:** 92%

**Oak:** 73% new FO,  
27% used white oak

**Aging:** 16 months

**Fining:** Bentonite

**T/A:** 0.49

**pH:** 3.66

**RS:** 0.2%

**Alcohol:** 13.90%

**Bottled:** 3/29/11

**Cases Produced:** 719

**Release Date:** June 2011