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RIESLING Buntsandstein

The grapes for our Riesling grow only on Buntsandstein soils which are typical for this wine-growing area of the Palatine region. The roots of the vines penetrate this soil type deeply and thus influence the mineral aroma of our Riesling. Short maceration, long pressing and spontaneous fermentation processes in 1200 l and 2400 l barrels, partly with whole grapes, create Riesling wines full of character and great aging potential. The quality of our wines is enhanced by the oneyear aging process stays on the full lees until natural clarification.

Vintage 2014

alk 12,5%



2014 Riesling Buntsandstein
93 Parker Points

»The 2014 Riesling Buntsandstein has a very clear, transparent, pure, spicy and stony bouquet of ripe fruits (quinces, ripe old pears, mirabelles!); there are also flinty aromas along with chestnut and acacia flavors, which Frank and Gerlinde John consider as typical for their region. Full-bodied, very pure and clear on the palate, this very intense, concentrated, rich and juicy Riesling is very firm and piquant with lots of grip and tension. This is serious wine with a finish that again shows the chestnut flavors.«



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