

Zeltinger Sonnenuhr Riesling Auslese 2017




Producer

The famous wine estate Joh. Jos. Prüm was founded in 1911 in Wehlen, on the Mosel. It is one of the most unique white wine producers in Germany.

Vintage report

After an early start of the vegetation, a cold period in April and May with frosty nights interrupted the speedy start of the season and caused losses in some vineyards. The warm, sunny weather that followed up pushed the growing again in May till mid of July. In September, the ripening process slowed down by a humid, cool period. A golden October allowed well ripened grapes from Kabinett to TBA concentration to be harvested early, at very fortunate weather conditions.

Characteristics

-  fruity, floral, complex
-  very complex, dense minerality, lower acidity and more austere than Wehlener Sonnenuhr
-  spicy cuisine or as a dessert wine

Facts

Grape Variety	Riesling
Terroir	Zeltinger Sonnenuhr ("Sonnenuhr" literally means sundial) vineyard, grey slate soil, south- southwest exposure
Appellation	Mosel
Vinifikation	Grapes picked by hand, single pale; fermentation in stainless steel tanks with wild yeast



Alcohol
8.5 %vol