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Valckenberg Dornfelder

## Valckenberg Dornfelder Lieblich 2017




### Producer

For over 230 years P.J. Valckenberg has discovered extraordinary German Estates and act as an ambassador of their wines. The Valckenberg Varietals represent authentic and typical german wines.

### Vintage report

“A roller coaster ride” was how the year’s progression was described and steady nerves were required. The weather gods showed themselves to be more kind during the extremely early harvest following heavy rains. The mild weather with its cold nights helped many grapes evolve to a good level of ripeness and plenty of aromas. The young wines in Rheinhessen are proving to be very fruit-driven with a well-balanced, refreshing acidity. Especially the late-ripening varieties such as Riesling benefitted from this challenging vintage.

### Characteristics

-  Smooth, medium-bodied, lightly sweet red note
-  Ripe cherries, black currants, distinctive vanilla note with a velvety finish.
-  Spicy beef dishes, barbecue, pasta with marinara, pizza, cherry pie or dark chocolate.

### Facts

Grape Variety	Dornfelder
Appellation	Rheinhessen
Vinifikation	Selected wines with high levels of quality and the use of modern cellar techniques in production.

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
8.5 %vol	47.4 g/l	5.4 g/l



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