

Johannisberg Wallhausen Riesling Great Growth dry 2019


Producer


Founded in 1200, the estate is now managed by Prince Felix zu Salm-Salm in the 32th generation. It is the oldest family-owned estate in Germany and cultivates vineyard sites on the Nahe region as well as in Rheinhessen.


Vintage report

The year started well with little rainfall but a great bud break and an even better blossoming. In summer we saw some of the hottest days we can remember resulting in some damage and sunburn. This resulted in very strict picking and selection during harvest. The September days brought super results with aromatic wines with a great acidity. In October, the cold and wet weather brought a quick end to the harvest. 2019 is a fascinating and strong vintage.

Characteristics

 green & yellow stone fruits

 elegant fruit-bouquet, slate minerality, salty finish

 mussels, root vegetables, sushi

Facts

Grape Variety	Riesling
Terroir	Johannisberg Wallhausen, red slate soil. south exposure, steep sloped vineyards
Appellation	Nahe
Vinifikation	selective harvesting

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
12 %vol	7 g/l	7 g/l

Award

93 pts. Robert Parker



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