

## Wine profile

## 2022 RAUENTHAL "ESTATE" RIESLING

#### Region

With its some 3000 Hectars, Rheingau is one of the smallest wine growing regions in Germany. South facing steep slopes are protected from the cold northerly winds by the Taunus Mountains, giving ideal ripening conditions.

#### Vintage

The year 2022 was characterized by high temperatures and little rainfall. It was topped with a summer with many hours of sunshine, but also with some challenging weather conditions. The right timing was most important during the harvest in order to be able to adjust the optimum ripeness without sacrificing quality. Thanks to the conscientious manual work and precise selection, healthy and ripe grapes could be harvested and processed. So we can look forward to the wines with complexity, fruit and a distinctive aroma.

### Grape variety

In terms of elegance and finesse Riesling is the country's premier grape. The vineyards along the Rhine provide ideal growing conditions. With its distinctive aromatic profile, delicate structure and tangy acidity Riesling produces not only the finest German wines but also it earns world-wide recognition.

#### Soils

The village of Rauenthal benefits from a soil composition of phyllite, loess and loam which give wines with racy acidity and well textured body.

#### Wine estate

Implementing a strict quality philosophy Bernhard Breuer turned the family-owned wine estate with its 40 hectares into a leading estate in the Rheingau. Today, his daughter Theresa Breuer runs the estate, supported by vineyard manager Hermann Schmoranz and cellar master Markus Lundén.

# Wine description

Intense yellow with a green tinge, seductive aromas of pears and dried herbs. A fine creaminess in spite of an intense acidity structure and a lot of minerality. Slightly spicy aftertaste.

Alcohol 11,5% · Residual sugar 4,7 g/l · Total acidity 7,8 g/l



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