



VINS D'ALSACE



Riesling Vieilles Vignes 2017

AOC Alsace, Alsace, France

Pure and Elegant!

THE VINTAGE

A very early harvest with excellent quality and small yields characterize the 2017 vintage.

Following a late spring freeze, the volumes were significantly reduced compared to the 2016 harvest. Excellent weather conditions throughout the summer encouraged full ripeness and the development of ideal acidities needed to create outstanding Alsace wines. Harvest of perfect grapes began the first week of Sept. In the cellar a few months later, the wines show fabulous, aromatic personalities already. The 2017 vintage will age well so we suggest picking up extra bottles for aging and enjoying in a couple of years.

TERROIR

calcareous clay soil

VARIETAL

Riesling 100%

12.5 % VOL.

TECHNICAL DATA

Residual Sugar: 6.2 g/l

pH: 3.1

Tartaric acidity: 7.4 g/l

SERVING

Conserve wine horizontally at an ambient temperature of 10-15°C. The ideal serving temperature is 8-10°C.

TASTING

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REVIEWS AND AWARDS



92/100

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Anne Kriebel, Wine Enthusiast, 01/06/2020

