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At Wild Ginger & The Triple Door, we're sure that there's a place for nearly every kind of wine with our food, but if we were forced to pick just one, we'd pick Riesling. The vibrant citrus and stonefruit flavors, the bracing acidity, and the occasional hint of sweetness make our food, and our hearts, sing.

But why, you ask, do we need a **"Summer of Riesling?"** The story began in 2008 at Paul Grieco's East Village winebar Terroir. He decided to pour no white wine by the glass all summer except for Riesling . . . and rather than bankrupt his bar, as saner people suspected would happen, it turned into a really fun summer during which he turned a lot of people on to a wine he was passionate about – **Riesling**. He did it again in 2009, expanded his offerings, and received a visit from the **German Wine Queen** (really!). In 2010, Paul invited like-minded New York restaurateurs to join him, and in 2011 he got beyond his east coast bias and invited us (we knew he'd come to his senses).

We've lined up a ton of Riesling related fun for you this summer, and hope that you will join in and let us convince you that Riesling isn't just for ladies who lunch and wine snobs - though **we'd love for more ladies to drink Riesling at lunch, and wine snobs are welcome!**

Throughout the summer (June 21st – September 22nd) we will be offering a giant selection of earth-shatteringly good Riesling by the glass – something old (at least 12 years), something new, something unusual (like a ultra-brut sparkling Riesling), something blue (Dr. Loosen's Graacher Himmelreich Stablay Kabinett made especially for Wild Ginger comes from only blue slate soil) and a whole lot of other great wines. There will be special informative (and interactive) Riesling lists, as well as special Riesling menus consisting of Wild Ginger delicacies paired perfectly with amazing Rieslings. And as if all that weren't enough, Wild Ginger will be hosting an ever-expanding selection of events centering around Riesling, so keep checking back as we update the calendar:



For the latest events (they're killer, so check them out), and other Summer of Riesling news, follow the link to our blog, or scan the QR code to the left.
<http://wildgingerrestaurant.blogspot.com>

A word about this list

We wanted to provide a ton of information on Riesling so you could really geek out, but we didn't want to force it down your throats – we thought they might be full of Riesling already. So instead of telling you everything we wanted to about Riesling on the winelist, we used QR codes (the square geometric patterns you see throughout the list) to link to stuff we thought would enhance your experience. Scan the codes with your smartphone (on iphones, we recommend the **Qrafter** app, on Android **Barcode Scanner** by Zxing, and on Blackberry **QR Code Scanner Pro**).



Riesling and our food

When we think of great food and wine pairings, like oysters & Muscadet, or foie gras and Sauternes, or osso bucco with Barbaresco, they are wines and dishes that have slowly evolved with one another over hundreds (sometimes thousands) of years, and the pairing likely got better and better as the time went by (whether the dishes and wines evolved to taste better together, or the people just got used to them is an open question). Riesling and Asian food is the exception. There weren't even wine grapes in Asia until around 20 years ago. And even then, they weren't Riesling, at least not the kind we're talking about this summer. So what gives? Why, exactly does Riesling go SO well with Southeast Asian and Chinese food? We encourage you to see for yourself. In addition to the "Summer of Riesling" pairing menu, here is a list of exceptional Rieslings we will be offering by the glass in order to give you the tools to test our theory. Go wild. Try them all!

Riesling by the glass

sparkling Riesling		5 oz
Wegeler Riesling Sekt, Brut	Germany, NV	9
still Riesling		6 oz
Efestē <i>Evergreen Vineyard</i>	Columbia Valley, Washington, 2010	10
Spater-Veit <i>Piesporter Goldtröpfchen</i> Kabinett	Mosel, Germany, 2009	12
Barth <i>Allüre</i>	Rheingau, Germany, 2008	9

cellared Riesling by the glass

The Enomatic wine preservation system stores open bottles of wine in a temperature-controlled environment, free of oxygen. This allows us to open special selections from our deep cellars and pour them by the glass. Try one and see what we mean.

	2oz	4oz	6oz	btl
Owen Roe <i>DuBrul Vineyard</i> Yakima Valley, Washington, 2009	4	8	13	54
Grosset <i>Polish Hill</i> Clare Valley, Australia, 2004	7	14	20	77
Dr Loosen <i>Graacher Himmelreich, Stablay Spätlese</i> Mosel, Germany, 2008	6	12	16	62
Günther Steinmetz <i>Muhlheimer Sonnenlay Spätlese</i> Mosel-Saar-Ruwer, Germany, 1994	5	10	15	60

Riesling from Washington

It wasn't so long ago that you couldn't pay more than \$10 for a bottle of Washington Riesling. And despite a few notable exceptions, you got what you paid for. But there have always been a few people who maintained, against the grain, that Washington had amazing potential for this variety. Flash forward 15 years, and two of Germany's best producers (Armin Diel and Ernie Loosen) are making wine here, along with scores of locals . . . and the wine speaks for itself.



Kungfu Girl <i>Evergreen Vineyard</i> , 2009	Columbia Valley	35
Pacific Rim Wallula Vineyard, Demeter Certified Biodynamic Wine, 2008	Columbia Valley	42
Poet's Leap, 2009 375 mL	Columbia Valley	25
Poet's Leap, 2010	Columbia Valley	52
Poet's Leap <i>Carmina Burana</i> , 2007	Columbia Valley	59
Chateau Ste. Michelle & Dr. Loosen <i>Eroica</i> , 2008	Columbia Valley	49
Tempus Cellars <i>Evergreen Vineyard</i> , 2010	Columbia Valley	45
Tsillan Cellars <i>Estate Dry</i> , 2007	Columbia Valley	35
Owen Roe <i>DuBrul Vineyard</i> , 2008	Yakima Valley	61

Riesling from Oregon

A to Z, 2009	Oregon	48
Belle Pente, 2006	Willamette Valley	48
Brooks, 2007	Willamette Valley	42
Couer de Terre Vineyard, 2006	Willamette Valley	61
Elk Cove Vineyards <i>Estate</i> , 2009	Willamette Valley	47

Riesling from Australia

Penfolds <i>Bin 51</i> , 2007	Eden Valley	56
Pewsey Vale <i>Individual Vineyard Selection</i> , 2010	Eden Valley	48
7613 Grosset <i>Polish Hill</i> , 2010	Clare Valley	77
7604 Grosset <i>Polish Hill</i> , 2008	Clare Valley	77
7516 Grosset <i>Polish Hill</i> , 2007	Clare Valley	77
7804 Grosset <i>Polish Hill</i> , 2004	Clare Valley	77
8410 Grosset <i>Polish Hill</i> , 2003	Clare Valley	77
8011 Grosset <i>Polish Hill</i> , 1998	Clare Valley	77
Leeuwin Estate <i>Art Series</i> , 2006	Margaret River	55
Plantagenet, 2008	Great Southern	51

Riesling from New Zealand

Dry River <i>GraigHall</i> , 2004	Martinborough	79
Pyramid Valley Growers Collection, Riverbrook Vineyard, 2008	Marlborough	54
Peregrine, 2007	Central Otago	52

Riesling from France

The title here should actually be “Riesling from Alsace” because that is where French Riesling is from, since at least 1477. Not surprisingly, Alsace was once part of Germany. But the wines from Alsace and those from Germany couldn’t be more different. Alsace Riesling tends to be richer, reflecting its calcareous clay soil, with more lemon, orange and stonefruit flavors as compared to Germany’s lime, spice and currant flavors. That said, Alsace Riesling (don’t call it Alsatian!) can range from dry to sweet with little to no warning. While Zind Humbrecht has helpfully added a code to their labels (indices 1-4 reflect increasing levels of sweetness), most producers give you no clue. It is safe to guess that most Vendange Tardive wines, and all Selection de Grains Nobles wines are very sweet.



8202	Lucien Albrecht <i>Clos Himmelreich</i> , 2004	Alsace	78
	Paul Blanck, 2009	Alsace	54
8009	Hugel & Fils, Vendange Tardive, 2001	Alsace	137
7908	Hugel & Fils, Vendange Tardive, 1998	Alsace	137
7907	Hugel & Fils, Vendange Tardive, 1996	Alsace	137
8015	Hugel & Fils, Vendange Tardive, 1989	Alsace	137
8014	Hugel & Fils, Vendange Tardive, 1983	Alsace	137
8013	Hugel & Fils, Selection de Grains Noble, 1998	Alsace	137
8012	Hugel & Fils, Selection de Grains Noble, 1976	Alsace	137
8217	Domaine Schoffit <i>Clos Saint-Theobald, Rangen de Thann</i> , 2005	Alsace Grand Cru	81
7507	Domaine Schoffit <i>Clos Saint-Theobald, Rangen de Thann</i> , 2002	Alsace Grand Cru	81
7510	Louis Sipp <i>Kirchberg de Ribeauvillé</i> , 2002	Alsace Grand Cru	70
8312	F.E. Trimbach <i>Clos Ste. Hune</i> , 2000	Alsace	229
h222	Domaine Weinbach <i>Schlossberg, Clos des Capucins</i> , 2004, 375 mL	Alsace Grand Cru	57
	Domaine Zind Humbrecht <i>Clos Hauserer</i> , 2008 <i>indice 2</i>	Alsace	70
h112	Domaine Zind-Humbrecht <i>Clos Häuserer</i> , 2002, 375mL <i>indice 2</i>	Alsace	65
8213	Domaine Zind-Humbrecht <i>Clos Windsbuhl</i> , 2001 <i>indice 2</i>	Alsace	98
7906	Domaine Zind-Humbrecht <i>Brand</i> , 2002 <i>indice 4</i>	Alsace Grand Cru	136
9401	Domaine Zind-Humbrecht <i>Brand</i> , 2002, 375 mL <i>indice 4</i>	Alsace Grand Cru	65
8219	Domaine Zind Humbrecht <i>Brand</i> , 2001 <i>indice 1</i>	Alsace Grand Cru	112
8913	Domaine Zind-Humbrecht <i>Brand</i> , Vendange Tardive, 1995	Alsace Grand Cru	143

Riesling from Austria

Austria is another place that makes incredible Riesling. Granite and Mica soils add a spice note, and an intensity and clarity of fruit can be breathtaking, and occasionally overwhelming. Austrian Rieslings are almost exclusively dry (though Smaragd wines from Wachau can have a hint of sweetness, and some producers also make clearly labeled dessert style Riesling).



9101	FX Pichler <i>Durnsteiner Kellerberg Smaragd</i> , 2008	Wachau	134
8206	FX Pichler <i>Loibner Berg Smaragd</i> , 2008	Wachau	109
7501	FX Pichler <i>Loibner Berg Smaragd</i> , 2005	Wachau	109
8902	Högl <i>Loibner-Vision Smaragd</i> , 2004	Wachau	66
	Hiedler <i>Steinhaus</i> , 2009	Kamptal	66

Riesling from Germany

Germany is the physical (it is believed the Riesling originated along the Rhein river) and spiritual home of Riesling. Germany is the only country in which Riesling is the most planted grape variety. It is only natural that as we celebrate Riesling, we give Germany it's due.



But in true enthusiast style, the Germans demand to know everything about their Rieslings. The results are wine labels that are so full of (mostly) useful information that they scare the pants off of all but the most hard-core Riesling fiends.

Riesling from Mosel, Germany

Riesling from the Mosel, and its tributaries the Saar and Ruwer rivers, is known for its zingy, fruity acidity, and slatey minerality. The wines, even the most serious, are insanely refreshing, and seem to have smiles built into them. Unless labeled otherwise (“trocken,” “Grosses Gewächs”) Riesling from the Mosel, Saar and Ruwer is usually a little sweet, because that is the only way to balance the wild acidity. And they age phenomenally, so make sure to try some of our older selections.



7602	A.J. Adam <i>Dhron Hofberg, Reserve QbA</i> , 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	82
7513	C.H. Berres <i>Erdener Treppchen Auslese</i> , 1998	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	50
7614	C.H. Berres <i>Erdener Treppchen Auslese</i> , 1992	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	50
7813	C.H. Berres <i>Ürziger Würzgarten Kabinett</i> , 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	52
7717	C.H. Berres <i>Ürziger Würzgarten Auslese</i> , 1994	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	54
7713	C.H. Berres <i>Ürziger Goldwingert Auslese</i> , 1994	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	54
	Jos. Christoffel jr. <i>Ürziger Würzgarten Auslese</i> , 1993	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	60

Riesling from Mosel, Germany (continued)

	Joh. Jos. Christoffel Erben <i>Erdener Treppchen</i> Kabinett, 2009	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	59
9301	Joh. Jos. Christoffel Erben <i>Erdener Treppchen</i> Auslese **, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	90
7101	Joh. Jos. Christoffel Erben <i>Erdener Treppchen</i> Spätlese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	66
7103	Joh. Jos. Christoffel Erben <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Spätlese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	66
7105	Joh. Jos. Christoffel Erben <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Spätlese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	56
7511	Fritz Haag <i>Brauneberger Juffer</i> Spätlese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	62
8917	Fritz Haag <i>Brauneberger Juffer</i> Spätlese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	62
7503	Fritz Haag <i>Brauneberger Juffer-Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	75
	Fritz Haag <i>Brauneberger Juffer-Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2001 375 mL	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	33
7608	Reinhold Haart <i>Piesport Goldtröpfchen</i> Spätlese, Großes Gewächs, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	69
	Heymann-Lowenstein <i>Röttgen</i> Auslese, Erstes Gewächs, 2005 375 mL	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	77
	Peter Lauer <i>Senior, Aylar Kupp</i> QbA, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	59
7807	Dr. Loosen <i>Bernkasteler Lay</i> Auslese, Gold Cap, 1988	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	135
7502	Dr. Loosen <i>Erdener Prälat</i> Auslese, 1985	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	135
7107	Dr. Loosen <i>Erdener Treppchen</i> Auslese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	74
7112	Dr. Loosen <i>Erdener Treppchen</i> Auslese, 2001	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	72
	Dr. Loosen <i>Graacher Himmelreich, Stablay</i> Spätlese, 2008 375 mL	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	36
7213	Dr. Loosen <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Auslese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	74
	Dr. Loosen <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Spätlese, 2005 1.5 L	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	88
7817	Dr. Loosen <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Auslese, 2003	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	70
8705	Dr. Loosen <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Auslese, Gold Cap, 1992	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	135
7304	Dr. Loosen <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2001	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	72
9111	Dr. Loosen <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, Gold Cap, 1993	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	135
7201	Benedict Loosen-Erben <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Auslese***, 1986	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	71
7110	Benedict Loosen-Erben <i>Ürziger Würzgarten</i> Auslese***, 1983	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	70
	Karthäuserhof <i>Eitelsbacher Kärthäuserhofberg</i> Kabinett, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	80
9308	Karthäuserhof <i>Eitelsbacher Kärthäuserhofberg</i> Auslese, 1973	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	98
7302	Kerpen <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese**, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	82
7306	Kerpen <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Spätlese*, 1993	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	69
7410	Mönchhof <i>Erdener Prälat</i> Auslese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	82
7414	Joh. Jos. Prüm Spätlese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	71
7417	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Graacher Himmelreich</i> Spätlese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	72
7310	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Graacher Himmelreich</i> Auslese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	72
7416	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Graacher Himmelreich</i> Auslese, 2004	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	75
7403	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Graacher Himmelreich</i> Auslese, 2002	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	70
	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2007 1.5 L	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	243
7420	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	79
	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2005 375 mL	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	65
7312	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	74

Riesling from Mosel, Germany (continued)

7314	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, Gold Cap, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	143
7412	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, Gold Cap, 2002	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	123
7918	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, Gold Cap, 1997	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	126
7413	Joh. Jos. Prüm <i>Zeltinger Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2002	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	72
	Schloss Saarstein <i>Serrig Schloss Saarsteiner</i> Spätlese, 2008	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	67
7520	Willi Schaefer, Graacher Domprobst, Spätlese #5, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	63
7419	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Spätlese #8, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	78
7114	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Spätlese #7, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	66
7317	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Spätlese #8, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	72
8107	Willi Schaefer, Graacher Domprobst, Spätlese #5, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	123
7514	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Auslese #10, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	129
7719	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Auslese #6, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	86
7519	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Auslese #10, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	113
8303	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Himmelreich</i> Kabinett #9, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	63
7601	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Himmelreich</i> Spätlese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	72
7117	Willi Schaefer <i>Graacher Himmelreich</i> Auslese #9, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	113
8204	Willi Schaefer <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Kabinett, 2007	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	63
7603	Willi Schaefer <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Spätlese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	66
8017	Carl Schmitt-Wagner <i>Longuicher Maximiner Herrenberg</i> Spätlese Feinherb, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	53
7912	Carl Schmitt-Wagner <i>Longuicher Maximiner Herrenberg</i> Spätlese, 1997	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	69
	Carl Schmitt-Wagner <i>Longuicher Maximiner Herrenberg</i> Spätlese, 1992	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	69
	Bert Simon <i>Serrig Würzberg</i> Spätlese, 2005	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	52
7708	Günther Steinmetz <i>Brauneberger Juffer</i> Auslese, 1994	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	59
	Günther Steinmetz <i>Mülheimer Sonnenlay</i> Spätlese, 1994	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	51
7910	von Hövel <i>Oberemmeler Hütte</i> Auslese, 1991	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	74
9116	Weingüter Wegeler <i>Bernkasteler Doctor</i> Spätlese, 2006	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	90
7418	Weingüter Wegeler <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Spätlese, 1994	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	69
7606	Dr. F. Weins-Prüm <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Spätlese, 2001	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	66
7612	Dr. F. Weins-Prüm <i>Graacher Domprobst</i> Auslese, 2001	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	78
7615	Dr. F. Weins-Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Spätlese, 2001	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	66
7611	Dr. F. Weins-Prüm <i>Wehlener Sonnenuhr</i> Auslese, 2001	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	77
	Zilliken <i>Saarburger Rausch</i> Kabinett, 2005 375 mL	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	26
9013	Zilliken <i>Saarburger Rausch</i> Auslese, 1993	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	74
7620	Zilliken <i>Saarburger Rausch</i> Spätlese, 1992	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	74
9015	Zilliken <i>Saarburger Rausch</i> Spätlese, 1991	Mosel-Saar-Ruwer	74

Riesling from Rheingau, Germany

If there was only one word to describe Rheingau Riesling, it would be “noble”. This region, along the Rhein river, produces powerful, rich Rieslings that are the most refined of Germany (and probably the world). Because it is a warmer region than the Mosel, the wines have a touch less acidity, and can show very well dry. That said, because of our food, we have focused almost exclusively on the off-dry versions in our cellar.



7911	Josef Leitz <i>Rüdesheimer Kirchenpfad</i> Spätlese, 2001	Rheingau	65
7913	Josef Leitz <i>Rüdesheimer Klosterlay</i> Spätlese, 2002	Rheingau	65
	Josef Leitz <i>Rüdesheimer Magdalenenkreuz</i> Spätlese, 2009 1.5 L	Rheingau	79
7916	Josef Leitz <i>Rüdesheimer Magdalenenkreuz</i> Spätlese, 2002	Rheingau	65
8006	Künstler <i>Domdechanev</i> QmP, 1997	Rheingau	73
8010	Weingut Spreitzer <i>Winkeler Jesuitengarten</i> Spätlese, 2005	Rheingau	66
8019	Weingut Spreitzer <i>Winkeler Jesuitengarten</i> Spätlese, 2003	Rheingau	59
7609	Weingüter Wegeler <i>Rüdesheimer Berg Schlossberg</i> Kabinett, 2005	Rheingau	50
8105	Robert Weil <i>Estate</i> Spätlese, 2004	Rheingau	75
7909	Robert Weil <i>Kiedrich Gräfenberg</i> Spätlese, 2005	Rheingau	99
7818	Robert Weil <i>Kiedrich Gräfenberg</i> Spätlese, 2004	Rheingau	96
7402	Robert Weil <i>Kiedrich Gräfenberg</i> Spätlese, 2003	Rheingau	96
h421	Robert Weil <i>Kiedrich Gräfenberg</i> Auslese, 2004, 375 mL	Rheingau	103
h213	Robert Weil <i>Kiedrich Gräfenberg</i> Auslese, 2002, 375 mL	Rheingau	85

Riesling from Nahe, Germany

If the Rheingau were New York City, and the Mosel San Francisco, Nahe would be Austin, Texas. Though it's a small region, volcanic soil, weathered stone, red slate and clay make for diverse and edgy wines.



7705	Schlossgut Diel, QbA, 1998	Nahe	76
8505	Schlossgut Diel <i>Burg Layen Schlossberg</i> Großes Gewächs, 2007	Nahe	99
8715	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Burgberg</i> Großes Gewächs, 2007	Nahe	132
7704	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Burgberg</i> Spätlese, 2006	Nahe	76
8305	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Burgberg</i> Auslese, 1998	Nahe	145
8719	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Goldloch</i> Großes Gewächs, 2007	Nahe	132
7706	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Goldloch</i> QbA, 1997	Nahe	72
7712	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Goldloch</i> Spätlese, 1997	Nahe	92
7607	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Goldloch</i> Auslese, 1998	Nahe	145
7605	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Goldloch</i> Spätlese, 1989	Nahe	103
8805	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Pittermännchen</i> Großes Gewächs, 2007	Nahe	132
7805	Schlossgut Diel <i>Dorsheimer Pittermännchen</i> Großes Gewächs, 2005	Nahe	75

Riesling from Nahe, Germany (continued)

	Dönnhoff <i>Estate</i> , 2008	Nahe	54
8810	Dönnhoff <i>Niederhäuser Hermannshöhle</i> Großes Gewächs Trocken, 2007	Nahe	115
8813	Dönnhoff <i>Norheimer Dellchen</i> Großes Gewächs Trocken, 2007	Nahe	115
7808	Dönnhoff <i>Norheimer Dellchen</i> Spätlese, 2005	Nahe	77
7809	Dönnhoff <i>Norheimer Kirschheck</i> Spätlese, 2006	Nahe	79
7814	Dönnhoff <i>Oberhäuser Brücke</i> Spätlese, 2006	Nahe	88
7409	Dönnhoff <i>Oberhäuser Leistenberg</i> Kabinett, 2005	Nahe	69
8702	Dönnhoff <i>Schloßböckelheimer Felsenberg</i> Großes Gewächs Trocken, 2007	Nahe	115
7904	Dönnhoff <i>Schloßböckelheimer Felsenberg</i> Spätlese, 2006	Nahe	80
7506	Dönnhoff <i>Schloßböckelheimer Felsenberg</i> Spätlese, 2005	Nahe	76
7508	Dönnhoff <i>Schloßböckelheimer Felsenberg</i> Spätlese, 2004	Nahe	76
7917	Dönnhoff <i>Schloßböckelheimer Kupfergrube</i> Spätlese, 2004	Nahe	76
7905	Hexamer <i>Meddersheimer Altenberg</i> Spätlese, 1994	Nahe	80

Riesling from Pfalz, Germany

Often described as pastoral, the Pfalz, sits just northeast of Alsace in France. The wines are rich and luscious, and though they lack the fireworks of Mosel or Rheingau, deeply satisfying.



7209	Dr. Bürklin-Wolf <i>Gaisböhl Ruppertsberg</i> Spätlese Trocken, 2001	Pfalz	85
	Pfeffingen, 2007	Pfalz	35
8114	Koehler-Ruprecht <i>Kallstadter Saumagen</i> Spätlese Halbtrocken, 2005	Pfalz	76
8117	Müller-Catoir <i>Haardter Bürgergarten</i> Kabinett Trocken, 2006	Pfalz	70
8118	Müller-Catoir <i>Haardter Bürgergarten</i> Spätlese, 2002	Pfalz	76
7408	J.L. Wolf <i>Wachenheimer Belz</i> Spätlese, 2003	Pfalz	59

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WHAT you need to understand, accept, and embrace is when one does encounter a *little* residual sugar in a riesling, it is counterbalanced by a high level of tartaric acid. When a wine rides this **razor's edge of balance**, it is the most **thrilling** beverage POSSIBLE.

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