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MOSEL WEINGUT

TASTING NOTES

2021 Trittenheimer APOTHEKE Riesling Spätlese

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THE WINE

The exceptional renomme of the Trittenheimer APOTHEKE vineyard comes in part from its unique combination of rocky slate subsoil and a relatively protected southwest exposition. The slate collects the warmth and releases it slowly over an extended period, which promotes good transformation of the acids by the vines. The result: delicate acidity mingling with a spicy, powerful minerality into the picture of liquid sophistication.

The grapes for our Trittenheimer APOTHEKE Spätlese are harvested after the APOTHEKE Kabinett to achieve greater ripeness. Aromas of quince, maracuja, pomegranate and citrus are accompanied by smoky aromas and minerality. On the palate fresh citrus linger to a long mineral finish. Wines in this style beg for extended cellar aging, and were traditionally served with food only after a decade of maturation.

VINIFICATION

As befits a premium wine, the grapes are always hand harvested and gently pressed. The must is then fermented using native yeasts in traditional Mosel fuder barrels and left on the lees until May.

PRESS REVIEWS

James Suckling - **91 Points** - *Stuart Pigott*: „Vibrant and mineral with an excellent harmony of fresh Amalfi lemon and bergamont fruit, this Mosel Spätlese is frankly off-dry, but is an extremely refreshing expression of this style. So bright and vibrant at the very long racy finish.”

Robert Parker Wine Advocate - **93 Points**

Vinum Weinguide Deutschland 2023 - **96 Points**

ALCOHOL: 8,0 %

GRAPE VARIETY: RIESLING

