



Nies'chen

RUWER KASEL

CLASSIFICATION	VDP.GROSSE LAGE®
PRÄDIKAT	Grosses Gewächs
VINEYARD SITE	Nies'chen
TASTE	dry
VINTAGE	2018
BOTTLE SIZE	0,75 l
ALCOHOL	13,0 % Vol
RESIDUAL SUGAR	5,9 g/l
ACIDITY	6,4 g/l
SULFITES	contains sulfites

PROFILE

All the elements in this Riesling create a tremendous ensemble. Apple, blackcurrant and star fruit on the palate, complemented by a long, minerally finish. This is a wine bursting with energy and ageing potential.

RATINGS

Mundus Vini - gold

Meiningers Best of Riesling - 92 points

Mosel Fine Wines - 91 points

PAIRS BEAUTIFULLY WITH...

Classic terrines; seasoned pork belly; sauerkraut dishes; fish stews; hot-smoked rainbow trout; pikeperch on fried potato straw; or strong cheese.

VINTAGE

The year started very wet with what seemed like three months of non-stop rain.

Spring was warm and dry – ideal conditions for an early bud burst.

Continuation: In Summer weather improved day by day. Only our youngest vines were a little less happy, as their roots have not yet reached the necessary depth to get through dry periods completely unscathed.

When harvest-time came nature spoiled us with heavenly conditions and a “golden autumn”. Our fruit was outstanding at all quality and Prädikat wine levels. We were fortunate enough to select Trockenbeerenauslesen – the pinnacle of any vintage – from a number of different sites. The extra warmth resulting in exceptional levels of ripeness, flavour and minerality as well as excellent quantities.

Summary: A sun-blessed year of superlatives!