



WINE

Sweet P Riesling

VINTAGE

2009

APPELLATION

Willamette Valley

VINEYARD

Brooks Estate, Eola-Amity Hills

PRODUCTION

150 cases

ALCOHOL

9.8%

RESIDUAL SUGAR

5.1%

SUGGESTED RETAIL

\$22. | bottle

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ABOUT

DUE TO THE POPULAR SUCCESS OF THE 2008 SWEET P, WE'VE MADE IT AGAIN. TO BETTER PORTRAY ITS SWEETNESS TO YOU, WE HAVE ADOPTED THE INTERNATIONAL RIESLING FOUNDATION SCALE WHICH TAKES INTO ACCOUNT RESIDUAL SUGAR, PH AND TA FOR THE WINE. THUS, IT IS CONSIDERED A "MEDIUM SWEET" WINE. AND WHO BETTER TO NAME A SWEET WINE AFTER THAN OUR OWNER, PASCAL (HENCE THE P)!

WINEMAKING NOTES

THE GRAPES WERE HAND SORTED AND 100% DESTEMMED. THE FRUIT SETTLED FOR 1-2 DAYS AFTER PRESSING AND RACKING TO AGE IN SMALL LOT STAINLESS STEEL FERMENTATION TANKS. THE TEMPERATURES DROPPED TO 52-55 DEGREES. FERMENTATION FOR THIS LOT WAS NATIVE AND LASTED AROUND 14 WEEKS. WE BOTTLED THIS WINE IN SPRING OF 2010 TO CAPTURE ITS FRESH AND LIVELY CHARACTERS.

TASTING NOTES

THE WINE IS A BEAUTIFUL CRYSTAL CLEAR GREEN/GOLD COLOR THAT IS BRIGHT AND CLEAN. FRESH AROMAS OF SLATE, LIME, WHITE FLOWERS, MINERALS, HONEY AND CITRUS LEAP FROM THE GLASS. MORE COMPLEX NUANCES OF WILD STRAWBERRIES, ORANGE BLOSSOM, WHITE PEPPER AND SPICE EMERGE IN TIME. IN THE MOUTH THE WINE IS VIBRANT AND ALIVE WITH BEAUTIFULLY BALANCED SWEETNESS AND ACIDITY. FOCUSED AND POWERFUL FLAVORS ECHO THE AROMAS ON THE ATTACK. THE FOCUS THAT IS PREVALENT ON THE ATTACK GIVES SHAPE AND WEIGHT TO THE MID-PALATE. THE FINISH IS LONG, FRESH AND CLEAN WITH FINAL FLAVORS OF WET STONES AND MINERALS. COMPLETE, COMPLEX AND BEAUTIFUL, THIS WINE WILL GAIN IN AGE AND COMPLEXITY OVER THE NEXT TEN YEARS, BUT IS ALREADY DRINKING GREAT NOW.



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