
Tegernseerhof Ried Steiner Pfaffenberg Riesling

Winery: Tegernseerhof

Category: Wine – Still - White

Grape Variety: Riesling

Region: Kremstal/Austria

Vineyard: Ried Steiner Pfaffenberg

Feature: Sustainable

Winery established: Built in 1176, since early 1800's in Mittelbach family ownership



Product Information

Soil: The single vineyard Pfaffenberg is situated north of the Danube River, from Stein till Krems and belongs geographically to winegrowing region Kremstal. The grapes grow on steep terraces with a slope angle of over 40% and the soil mostly consists out of primary rock and loam.

Elevation: 820 – 1230 feet above sea level

Age of vines: 40 years

Vinification: Cool fermentation in stainless steel, followed by aging for 6 months in stainless as well.

Tasting Note: A cooler climate and the Danube River nearby are responsible for complex, tangy and durable wines with a lot of finesse. Riesling Pfaffenberg convinces with elegance, depth and uniqueness.

Alc: 13 % vol.

RS: 1.1 g/l

Acidity: 7.1 g/l

Producer Information

The Mittelbach family's Tegernseerhof, located in Unterloiben, just below Dürnstein, boasts a tradition dating back to the year 1002. The original facilities were built in 1176 by the Benedictine community of the Tegernsee Abbey. For centuries, the abbey was where the Bavarian monastery produced its wine. At the turn of the 19th century, it was acquired by the Austrian Empire and later, it went into private ownership. Franz Mittelbach and his wife, Mathilde, are the 5th generation of Tegernseerhof owners. Since the 1970s, they have been continuously running Tegernseerhof as a family business. Today, Martin Mittelbach, the son of Franz and Mathilde, is the current caretaker of this history. Total of 66 acres of which 50% are terraced vineyards. Tegernseerhof vineyards flourish on stone terraces whose verdant soil plays host to a rich variety of indigenous fauna. Among the best-known, excellent locations and wines are Bergdistel, Hoehereck and Loibenberg (for Grüner Veltliner) as well as Loibenberg, Steinertal and Kellerberg (for Riesling). The Estate is a member of the exclusive association "Vinea Wachau", therefore the Vinification follows the strict regulations of the "Codex Wachau". Total production: 150,000 bottles.