AUGUST KESSELER

Lorch 2016

Riesling

REGION	Rheingau
CATEGORY	White Wine
TYPE	Riesling
TASTE	Dry
VINIFICATON	Stainless Steel
TEMPERTURE	50°-54°F
AGING	2025
ALLERGENS	Contain Sulfites
R/S	9.1 g/l
ACIDITY	8.2 g/l
ALC. BY VOL.	12%



Sustainable Practicing
Vegan Practicing

SERVING SUGGESTION

Sea scallops with fennel, ginger, or Granny Smith apple ice

TASTING NOTES

This typical Riesling from the valley Lorch presents with yellow fruits, flowery, vineyard peach with a hint of herbs. Acidity and sweetness are well balanced on the palate and give the wine a crispy freshness and creaminess. The high minerality is typical for Lorch and shows a long life for this Riesling

VINEYARD

The grapes for August Kesseler's Riesling Lorch come from our vineyard sites Lorch, which are characterized by100% slate.

VINIFICATION

Our grapes are hand-picked and go through another selection process afterwards. Each parcel is vinified separately. Shortly before bottling we will assemble the cuvee. The 2022 vintage has been manufactured in stainless steel in our double stored cellar from 1792.

THE ESTATE

When August Kesseler took over his parent's establishment founded in 1924, he was only 19 years old. Back then, mainly bulk wine was produced and the area covered was not larger than 2,5 ha. Under August Kesseler's guidance the estate has become one of the flagship ones of the Rheingau area. Down to the present day it has also acquired high international reputation. Today the vineyard estate contains 32,5 ha in some of the best Rheingau sites like: Assmannshäuser Höllenberg, Rüdesheim Berg Schlossberg, Lorchhäuser Seligmacher, Hattenheimer Wisselbrunnen and many more. We produce 60 % Riesling and 40 % Pinot Noir. We are a member of the VDP and the German Barrique-Forum. Max Himstedt is the estate's most experienced and ambitious winemaker who pushes forward the production of word class wines.
For a couple of years August Kesseler and especially Max Himstedt have been joined by another ambitious and young oenologist: Simon Batarseh. Together with the first two mentioned and the whole team, Simon is going to lead the estate into the future. Thus, the course is set to keep producing quality wines at the highest stage.