tasting notes

2025 RIESLING

REGION	Clare Valley, South Australia
LOCATION	Watervale, Clare
ALC/VOL	12%
VARIETY	100% Riesling
OAK	Unoaked
RELEASED	July 2025

For 10 vintages we sourced our Riesling from Darry and Chris Honey's superb vineyard at Watervale in the Clare Valley. Still regarded as the premier Riesling growing region in Australia.

After the sale of our source vineyard Damian our winemaker has found an equally high quality vineyard only 500 metres away in Watervale, Clare. This produced our Rieslings since 2021 and now the new 2025 vintage.

We have previously won gold medals at the Royal Adelaide and Royal Melbourne Wine Shows and now the 2025 from our new source vineyard has provided the same quality achieved over the past 15 years.

The 2022 won gold (94 points) at the Canberra International Riesling Challenge, competing against Rieslings from all over the world, including France, Germany, Austria, Canada, US and New Zealand. A fantastic effort which again highlights our consistently high quality Rieslings and a credit to our Winemaker Damian Torresan. Also, a Bronze medal at the Royal Adelaide Show.

A very slow ripening vintage early but with a very hot January, picked in February. Balanced mineral acidity, much like the 2021 and 2022 vintages, with the lime and lemon flavours typical of the region.

Typically crisp and fresh and ready to drink now, but over time will develop into a mellow, honey-coloured wine after 2-3 years bottle age. Serve chilled.

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