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VALCKENBERG
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Weingut Juliusspital

Iphöfer Silvaner trocken 2018




Producer

The oldest wine cellar in Würzburg, dating from 1576 with its 250 metre long corridor, is still the heart of the wine production in the Juliusspital. In the large wooden barrels, 220 in total, mature wines from the most valuable vineyards in Franconia – like the Würzburger Stein. The Juliusspital Winery has it all: best of conditions, beautiful historical sights, stunning vineyards – but it's Team J., that provide the passion. With about 180 hectares, they are the second-largest winery in Germany and, with VDP certification, they stand for the best in quality.

Vintage Report

The winter season was cold and damp, also unusual long. The shoot started very early, so did the bloom. The vines gained a boost of vegetation; this lead of approximately two or three weeks will last till the harvest. From the beginning of June, the year was very hot and extremely dry. On the one hand perfect conditions for a healthy vintage but on the other hand Juliusspital only had rainfalls with thunderstorms. At 20th of August - unbelievable early – they started to harvest.

Characteristics

-  quince and mandarin aroma
-  complex fruit interplay, soft melting texture
-  asparagus, saltimbocca, pork



Facts

- Grape Variety** Silvaner
- Terroir/Soil** steep slopes of Steigerwald (=forest), Keuper soil, south-exposure, protected from cold north- and eastwinds
- Appellation** Franken / Germany
- Vinification** selected grapes with high quality level, cold fermentation in stainless steel tanks for 30 days by 16- 18 C° and ageing on it's yeast

Alcohol	Residual-Sugar	Acidity
13.0 %vol	2.5 g/l	5.8 g/l