



THE WEHLENER SONNENUHR VINEYARD

(The Sundial of Wehlen)

This precipitously steep, rocky vineyard consistently yields some of the most elegant and sophisticated white wines in the world. The mineral-rich blue Devonian slate soil gives Wehlener Sonnenuhr (pronounced VAY-len-er ZON-en-ooer) wines a crisp acidity that perfectly balances the pure peach and lemon fruit. It's an aristocratic and charming wine that dances gracefully on the palate.

WEHLENER SONNENUHR RIESLING KABINETT

Wehlen's "sundial" vineyard produces the quintessential Mosel Riesling: delicate and refined, with a racy minerality. Kabinett is the lightest and most delicate style of Riesling in Germany. Nothing can compare with the elegance and subtlety of fine Mosel Riesling Kabinett, as you can see in this wine with its fine citrus fruitiness and exquisite balance.

VINEYARD CLASSIFICATION:

Rated "First Vineyard" (*Erste Lage*) in the 1868 Prussian classification of the Mosel, and "Great First-Class" in the *Wine Atlas of Germany* by Hugh Johnson & Stuart Pigott (1995).

PRAISE FROM THE PRESS:

"Fresh and lively, this shows a great deal of peachy ripeness, yet it's held in crisp tension by its vivid acidity. It's underlined by classic notes of blue slate, feeling finely aromatic and elegantly poised throughout the long finish."

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KEY POINTS:

- Classic single-vineyard Riesling Kabinett from one of Germany's finest producers.
- One of Germany's most famous vineyards.
- Extremely pure, unoaked flavors and low alcohol make it ideal for today's fresher, more vibrant cuisine.