



WEINGUT ROBERT WEIL

Founded in 1875, Weingut Robert Weil is considered to be one of the Rheingau's younger wine estates. It is located in the heart of Kiedrich, a village first documented in the year 950. Kiedrich Turmberg and Kiedrich Gräfenberg, the estate's top vineyards, are among the finest sites in the Rheingau.

The estate cultivates 70 hectares (173 acres) of vineyards, of which 98 percent are planted with Riesling. Today, Wilhelm Weil, the great-grandson of the estate's founder, carries on the uncompromising, quality-oriented vineyard and cellar practices that have been the hallmark of the winery for four generations.

ACCOLADES FOR WILHELM WEIL

- Winemaker of the Year 1997, Gault Millau
- Gault Millau WeinGuide Deutschland 2010: Highest rating (5 grape clusters, denoting "world's best wine producers").
- Michael Broadbent: "...the most consistently brilliant wine-maker in the Rheingau."
- Der Feinschmecker/WeinGourmet: Highest rating possible (5 F's), as "one of the best wine producers worldwide."
- Eichelmann Deutschlands Weine 2010: Highest rating (5 stars): "During the past decade, no one else has done so much for the reputation of Rheingau wines and for the renown of German wines in general as Wilhelm Weil."

2008 WEINGUT ROBERT WEIL RIESLING TRADITION

The Riesling Tradition estate wine is a cuvée of wines from parcels that neighbor the estate's top vineyard sites in Kiedrich. The deep and medium-deep soils of the vineyards consist of stony, fragmented phyllite mixed with loess and loam. The character of this Riesling, like all Robert Weil Rieslings, is defined largely by these mineral-rich soils.

Stony and fruity on the nose, the Riesling Tradition envelops the palate with gorgeous, silky fruit and a creamy, juicy texture. Despite its residual sugar, the wine does not come off as overly sweet, thanks to a fine balance of acidity. The overall impression is one of completeness.

With its lovely fruit and lively acidity, the Riesling Tradition makes an ideal aperitif. In addition, it pairs beautifully with sweet-spicy Asian dishes, and with meats served with opulent sauces like beurre blanc.

- Alcohol: 10.0%
- Acidity: 8.3 g/l
- Residual sugar: 39.1 g/l

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