



# GEORG BREUER

Wine profile

## 2021 RÜDESHEIM BERG SCHLOSSBERG RIESLING

### Region

With its some 3000 Hectars, Rheingau is one of the smallest wine growing regions in Germany. South facing steep slopes are protected from the cold northerly winds by the Taunus Mountains, giving ideal ripening conditions.

### Vintage

After three years characterized by warm summers and low rainfall, 2021 presented us with a cool and wet summer that challenged us viticulturally. After a warm winter, we again feared that there would be an early bud break again and that the trend of the last few years would continue. But a cold spring luckily slowed down the development of nature. Due to cool temperatures in July and August, we only started harvesting in mid-September. The grapes were extremely varied in quality and quantity ... as there was a back and forth in terms of weather throughout the year.

### Grape variety

In terms of elegance and finesse Riesling is the country's premier grape. The vineyards along the Rhine provide for ideal growing conditions. With its distinctive aromatic profile, delicate structure and tangy acidity Riesling produces not only the finest German wines, it earns world-wide recognition as well.

### Soils

The "Berg Schlossberg" is located in the bend of the Rhine, where the river has dug its way north again. The steepest vineyards in the Rheingau, with an incline of up to 65%, are held here in part by high vineyard walls. The soil here consists of barren Rhine slate and Taunus quartzite and also serves as a heat store. The name comes from the Ehrenfels Castle, which can still be seen from afar as a ruin today.

### Wine estate

Implementing a strict quality philosophy Bernhard Breuer turned the family-owned wine estate with its 40 hectares into a leading estate in the Rheingau. Today it is managed by his daughter Theresa Breuer and production manager of many years, Hermann Schmoranz, with the assistance of cellar master Markus Lundén.

### Wine description

Here immense power and finesse come together. Salty and juicy at the same time. A lot of mineral spiciness. Delicate scent of stone fruits and orange skin. A Riesling with elegant style and fine tannins. Very long lasting and with a monumental depth.

Alcohol 11,5% · Residual sugar 3,0g/l · Total acidity 7,6g/l

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