



# GEORG BREUER

## Wine profile

### 2018 GB SAUVAGE 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

2018 was a fantastic year for the vegetation in our vineyards. A bitter cold winter benefits the important hibernation of the vines. Mild temperatures in spring caused an early bud break. Our vineyards got luckily spared by winter frost. One of the hottest summers in the history of the winery was following. The dryness affected the growth not much and prevented the vines from fungal diseases. The vines were carrying a lot of grapes and the yield amount was high. The quality of the grape material was magnificent.

#### 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 grapes for this wine are sourced from Rheingau vineyards with shallow to deep gravel clay soils with patches of quartzite and slate.

#### Wine estate

Implementing a strict quality philosophy Bernhard Breuer turned the family-owned wine estate with its 34 hectares into a leading estate in the Rheingau. Today, his daughter Theresa Breuer runs the estate supported by vineyard manager Hermann Schmoranz and cellar master Markus Lundén.

#### Wine description

Bright pale yellow with green reflexes and primary aromas of apricot and lime. Lush and refreshing with a youthful acidity structure. An easy-to-drink wine.

Alcohol 12% · Residual sugar 6,7 g/l · Total acidity 8,0 g/l

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