

CARL REH



At Reh Kendermann, passion for wine goes back to the vineyard and back to each individual grape variety.

The desire to make good quality wines has been part of Reh Kendermann's heritage for more than 80 years, with each generation carefully focusing on every aspect of wine production; from the agricultural aspect of growing grapes, to having the vision to bring their wines to America.

The area of Rheinland-Pfalz is one of Germany's key wine-producing regions and is situated in the southwest, across the border from Alsace. The climate here is generally sunny and dry, allowing the grapes to reach optimum maturity.

The land of Rheinland-Pfalz, also known as Little Switzerland, has gentle rolling hills with the land facing in a southerly direction along the River Rhine. The soil structure is very fertile and has a high mineral content with underlying limestone. With the perfect climate and soil conditions, this area is well suited for producing superior grapes.

Riesling is Germany's most noble and popular grape variety. Ripe, selective grapes are harvested at the end of October and rapidly transported to the winery in custom-made stainless steel containers. The grapes are pressed gently and cooled down to 41° F (5° C) to allow the heavier matter to settle naturally, leaving behind a clean juice with enhanced fruit definition. The juice is fermented, not only using yeast cultures from the old and new world, but also traditional German yeasts, for approximately 4 weeks in stainless steel. The wine is left on the fine lees for a further 6-8 weeks, which adds texture and structure.

RIESLING

REGION: Rheinland-Phalz

WINEMAKER: Christine Pröstler and Philipp Maurer

VARIETAL: 100% Riesling

COLOR: Light yellow

BOUQUET: Aromas of ripe peaches and apricots

TASTE: Natural sweetness balanced by the grape's acidity giving a very fresh but soft feel, with a hint of citrus fruits. A long and lingering finish

FOOD PAIRING: This premium wine is delicious on its own, or enjoy it with spicy foods such as chicken saté or pan fried shrimp

SERVING TEMP: Well chilled: 44° F - 46° F
(6° C - 8° C)

