# CARL EHRHARD



# Herr Ehrhard *Unfiltered* Riesling Trocken Rheingau, Germany

**GRAPE VARIETY** 

100% Riesling

## VINIFICATION

This is sourced from 38-year-old vines grown in the Drachenstein vineyard on the slopes above Rudesheim. As with all of Carl's wines, it is farmed 100% organically and biodynamically. The grapes are hand picked and pressed in an old wooden basket press. Fermentation is spontaneous and the wine is aged on its lees in large neutral oak barrels for 13 months. The wine is stabilized and clarified naturally over this period, so no sulfur is added, and it does not need to be filtered. *Vegan friendly*.

#### ESTATE

Carl Ehrhard and his family tend 22 acres of Riesling and Pinot Noir spread throughout six prime vineyards around the town of Rüdesheim in the Rheingau region of Germany. The estate has been in the family since 1815 and was taken over in 1998 by Carl, his wife Petra and their three daughters.

#### **TASTING NOTE**

Pleasing scents of citrus, almond and pineapple lead to an unctuous palate fruiter than the nose suggests. Hints of herbal spice develop in the finish, lifted by a streak of fresh acidity. Very quaffable and delicious!

## **FOOD PAIRING**

Enjoy in a large glass with fresh cheeses, salads or anytime with good friends.

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