

# Wittmann

SEIT 1663



## 2022 KIRCHSPIEL RIESLING TROCKEN GROSSES GEWÄCHS

VDP.GROSSE LAGE - 22117

### VDP.GROSSE LAGE

VDP.GROSSE LAGE denotes Rheinhessen's highest-quality vineyards, each precisely demarcated by parcel. Wines grown in Grosse Lage sites are notable for their extraordinary sense of place and cellarability.

### THE VINEYARDS

The KIRCHSPIEL opens up toward the Rhine like an ancient amphitheater, ready to bask in the first morning rays of sunshine. The vineyards face from east to southeast, protected against the west winds and creating the outstanding microclimate for which the Kirchspiel is known. Our vines are primarily planted in the upper portion of the site, at inclines of up to 30%.

### THE SOIL

The soils are mainly clayey marl with limestone deposits, joined by limestone weathering clay that lend the KIRCHSPIEL its distinctive, spicy-elegant character.

### TASTING NOTE

“Mind-blowing spiciness hits you when your nose enters the glass. Enormous flinty energy is married to a compact and super-chalky structure on the electrifying palate. Super-long and focused finish that doesn't want to stop.” – *Stuart Pigott, James Suckling*

### PRESS REVIEWS

James Suckling – **98 Points**

Meininger's Sommelier – **96 Points**

ALCOHOL: 12,5% vol

GRAPE VARIETY: Riesling



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