



Carrick Josephine Riesling 2007

Origin Carrick Vineyards, Bannockburn, Central Otago

Information

Brix:	21.1
Residual Sugar:	47
Titrateable Acidity:	7.8
pH:	2.88
Alcohol:	8.2%
Harvest Dates:	April 23rd

Viticulture and Wine Making

This Carrick Riesling is harvested from the south block of the Arthur Lot 8 Vineyard on the Cairnmuir Terraces at Bannockburn.

It is picked a week earlier than our standard Riesling providing slightly higher acid.

The wine was fermented cool and clean in tank and was stopped well before dryness to give us clean fresh low alcohol wine.

Tasting Notes

In previous years we have bottled a small amount of sweeter Riesling as a trial. This is our second commercial release of this style. We have taken a more Germanic approach with the winemaking, with lower alcohol, higher sugars, balanced by acid.

The aromas are mandarin, citrus blossom and jasmine with some subtle mineral notes. On the palate the residual sugar gives a great mouthful of limes and mandarin with the lime pith, mineral notes and low pH giving structure and balance leading on to a surprisingly clean finish.

We suggest serving Carrick Josephine as an aperitif, with entrées, desserts or cheese.

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