

Seifried

RIESLING 2024

AWARDS

93 Points (5 Stars) - Sam Kim, Wine Orbit, October 2024
90 Points (4 Stars) - Stephen Wong MW, © The Real Review, therealreview.com, November 2025
4 Stars - Cuisine Magazine, March 2025
4 Stars - Michael Cooper, 'New Zealand Listener' May 3rd 2025
Silver (93 Points) - The National Wine Awards of Aotearoa New Zealand 2025
Silver - The National Wine Awards of Aotearoa New Zealand 2024

"This is a ripe riesling with notes of spice, honeycomb, apple blossom, peach and ripe citrus. The palate explodes with fruit, supported by its medium-dry sweetness on a lush, generous palate which gently tapers down to pithiness on the finish."

Stephen Wong MW, © The Real Review, therealreview.com

TASTING NOTE

The 2024 Seifried Nelson Riesling is a single wine from our Edens Road vineyard. Fruit is vibrant, aromatic and pure. The wine has an appealing tension on the palate with crisp natural acidity cutting through the 17.5g/L residual sugar pulling you back for another sip. Fruit concentration fills out the generous palate, leaving honeysuckle and a twist of lime of the palate.

WINEMAKERS NOTE

Our 2024 Seifried Nelson Riesling comes from the perfect season we enjoyed with low rainfall and negligible disease pressure. The pristine fruit condition and low yields (from late October spring frost) meant we had amazing quality, low yielding fruit to work with. 2024 was simply an outstanding vintage in Nelson - in fact Hermann Seifried has commented that it is perhaps the very best vintage of his 49 seasons in the top of the South! That from a character not known for exaggeration or embellishments.

Delicate fruit flavours and aromas were retained from the vineyard using careful canopy management and the grapes were picked at optimal ripeness in good condition. Fruit was de-stemmed and pressed immediately after harvest, and a cool fermentation was initiated in stainless steel tanks to retain the clean aromatic fruit characters. The wine was blended and stabilised in July 2024.

THE VINEYARD

The Edens Road vineyard is an extremely stony area where water and nutrient levels are low. This helps to restrict plant vigour and to crop at low levels. To further enhance the aromatics, leaves were removed to allow light penetration and air movement to the fruiting zone. This vineyard is a combination of rocks and boulders which is very hard on farm equipment but vital for holding the warmth of Nelson's sun - and ripening the Riesling fruit.

WINE ANALYSIS

Vineyard: Seifried Edens Road vineyard
Date of Harvest: Late March 2024
pH of Wine: 2.91
T.A of Wine: 7.9g/L
Residual Sugar: 17.5g/L
Alcohol: 13.0%
Suitable for Vegetarians and Vegans: Yes

FOOD MATCH

Enjoy on its own, or with salads, crisp Asian flavours or warm curries.



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