Horst Escherndorfer Müller Thurgau S. Trocken, VDP. Erste Lage 2023

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Horst Sauer

— Franken, Germany

'S' at Horst Sauer is code for Spatlese. Spatlese ripeness, but absolutely don't think 'sweetness' ... these are dry wines but richer, more concentrated .... Riper! In practice, they come from better situated, (Escherndorfer Furstenberg) older vines and they are a distinct step up in quality.

Production

Stainless steel to keep things as fresh and as bright as possible.

Tasting note

Tension, precision, energy and brightness. There is an incredible balance between lightness and power ...gun barrel grey clouds ahead, pure bright sunshine behind sort of thing ... everything in sight seems vividly 'lit', full of promise, exciting, poised. There's a passing nod to Gewurztraminer for the briefest of moments, then quickly on to spices, earthiness, fragrant peach skins, ripe pear and always something darker, deeper, earthier, stonier in the core. Crackling acidity suddenly provides the lightning and drama and the finish 'shimmers' as it slowly fades.

Food Match

Seafood, shelfish, sunshine.

ABV:
12.50%

Case/Bottle Size:
6x 75cl

Closure:
Please Select

Appellation:
VDP. Erste Lage

Grape Varieties:
Muller-Thurgau 100%

Suitable for:
No

Bottle Barcode:
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