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ST URBANS HOF 'AUSLESE PIESPORTER GOLDTRÖPFCHEN' PIESPORT RIESLING

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TECHNICAL DETAILS

The Estate
Founded in 1947, Nik Weis – St. Urbans-Hof has become one of the most important and classic wineries in the Mosel region. Since 2000, the Riesling winery is member of Germany's renowned VDP (Association of German Quality Wine Estates). The approximately 45 hectares of vineyards stretch for around 60 km along the Mosel and Saar rivers and are cultivated in a traditional manner in harmony with nature. Five of the prestigious individual crus, in which world-class Rieslings grow, are classified as Wines from great Sites (VDP.Grosse Lage). The wines are fermented exclusively with indigenous yeasts.

Wine Making
Our Piesporter Goldtröpfchen property is of ancient, unreconstructed origin located close to the slate Mosel Loreley cliffs. These parcels are located in a poorly accessible section of the vineyard which has forced, unlike most of this famous vineyard, an inability to have its orientation altered by modern methods. Only a narrow path allows access. Its ungrafted vines are of unknown age but we are sure they're at least 80 years old. The highly decomposed slate soil has a high water retentive capacity and the large slate cliffs absorb the heat of the sun only to release it in the dark of night like a thermal battery.

Food Suggestions
Pairs well with veal, seafood, poultry, pasta or risotto dishes.

TASTING NOTES

'Goldtröpfchen' translates from German into 'little golden drops', a fitting name for such legendary wines. All of the wines grown here provide a natural sweetness necessary to stress this vineyard's character. This forward sweetness gives notes of black currant, passionfruit, and grapefruit. These can age 30+ years while maintaining absolute freshness.

Riesling grape blend.
This wine contains allergens, sulfites.

ATTRIBUTES

- Available Size: 375mL (12 pc)
- Sustainable
- Organic
- ABV%: 8
- Class: White

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