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GERMANY



FEATURED IN **RIDING HIGH** : *German Riesling*

“The quality of German Riesling - in all it's myriad styles, from kabinett to eiswein - has never been higher, says Stephen Brook. After much deliberation, he picks his top 20 Riesling estates, from Mosel to Pfalz, with a recommendation from each.”

PETER JAKOB KÜHN 2010 QUARZIT TROCKEN

This Oestrich estate is now being run by the 11th generation of the same family. Kühn is an inveterate experimenter, who visits vineyards around the world to discover practices he can adapt and adopt. Thus some of his vines are trained in a tightly spaced Burgundian fashion, which he believes gives good results here. His 15ha are in the top sites of Lenchen and Doosberg. From the latter he makes mostly sweeter styles. He is also one of the very few German growers to produce a dry wine fermented in amphorae. **Muted mineral nose; broad and full-bodied with mass and volume and tangy acidity. Long. Drink 2012-2018.**