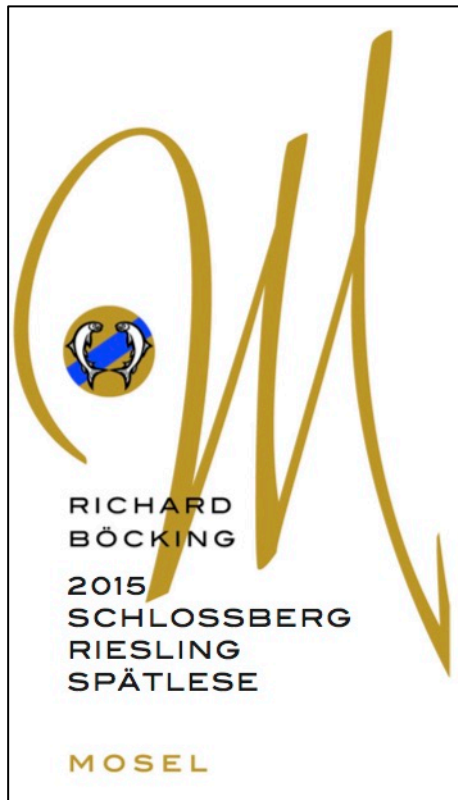


Wine Profile



2015 “M” Schlossberg Spätlese Mosel, Germany

Vintage: 2015

Fruit: 100% Riesling

Appellation: Traben-Trarbach, Germany

Vineyard: The fruit for this wine comes from our sustainably farmed vineyards covered in blue and grey slate and brown quartz. The Schlossberg is known for the extreme pitch of the slopes high above the Mosel. This wine comes mostly from ungrafted, old vines, up to 80 years old. Riesling vines have been cultivated on this spot since the 14th Century.

Harvest Date: late October 2015

Specifications: 7.5% alcohol, 82 g/l residual sugar, 8.6 g/l total acidity.

Production Notes: The 2015 harvest was perfect for a classic Spätlese: hot sunny days creating excellent ripeness for this late harvest wine. The fruit for this wine is picked late in the season to allow for optimal ripeness. Botrytis (noble rot) appeared on grapes during the second picking, thus every grape is hand sorted to allow only the best grapes to be crushed. The juice is fermented at cold temperatures; fermentation develops spontaneously, with natural or wild yeast. All fermentation and maturation is in 100% German oak barrels.

Tasting Notes: This wine is representative of our late harvest wines from the Schlossberg vineyard. Tropical, exotic, southern fruits with hints of banana, this powerful highly structured wine shows all the best qualities of the German winemaker marrying the balance of high residual sugar and acidity to showcase a lovely balance. High potential for aging; drink now through 2025.

1,200 bottles produced



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