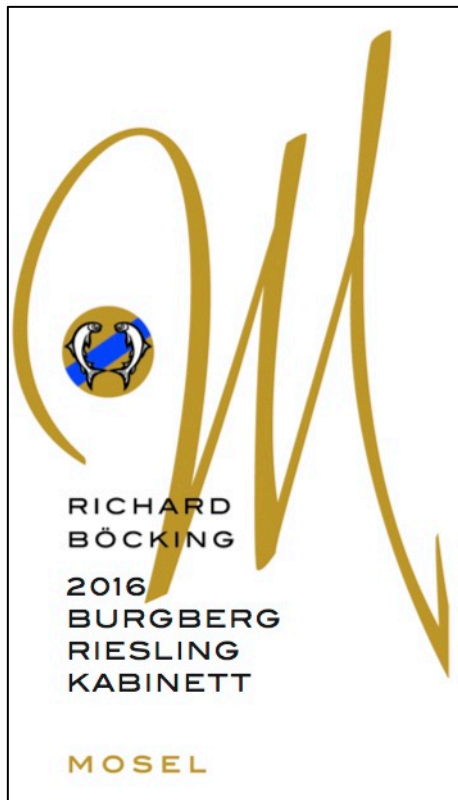


## Wine Profile



### 2016 "M" Burgberg Kabinett Mosel, Germany

**Vintage:** 2016

**Fruit:** 100% Riesling

**Appellation:** Traben-Trarbach, Germany

**Vineyard:** The fruit for this wine comes from our sustainably farmed Burgberg vineyard on breathtakingly steep slopes high above the Mosel River. These south west-facing slopes are covered in blue and brown slate with quartz deposits near the roots. This wine comes primarily from ungrafted, old vines up to 75 years old. Grape vines have been cultivated on this spot since the 17th Century.

**Harvest Date:** late October 2016

**Specifications:** 8% alcohol, 60.6 g/l residual sugar, 8.7 g/l total acidity

**Production Notes:** The fruit for this wine is picked late in the season to allow for optimal ripeness. Botrytis (noble rot) is found on grapes during the second picking; every grape is hand sorted to allow only the best grapes to be crushed. The juice is fermented at cold temperatures; fermentation was developed spontaneously, with natural or wild yeast. The wine was aged sur lies for 10 months, then aged in 100% German oak barriques. This wine was bottled 23 July 2017.

**Tasting Notes:** The M is representative of our late harvest Prädikat wines, entirely from a single vineyard - this year a Kabinett from the Burgberg vineyard. The fruit is picked late in the season to ensure depth and intensity of flavor and sugar. The M is a herbaceous Riesling with a delicate sweetness and a fruity animated finish. The bouquet notes are floral, yellow apple, honeysuckle. This wine is excellent with spicy foods or as an aperitif wine. High potential for aging.

900 bottles produced



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