



**Karthäuserhof**

1335

## 2013 *Schieferkristall* Riesling trocken

Estate:	The legendary Karthäuserhof estate is a place of fairy tales. Overlooking the sublime Ruwer valley, we are the eighth oldest winegrowing estate in the world*. Officially founded as a monastery in 1335, this “Farm of the Carthusians” was given as a gift to the monks of the Carthusian order by Prince-Elector Balduin of Luxembourg. Incredibly, the Karthäuserhof has now been owned by our family since 1811.		
Category:	100% Riesling trocken		
VDP.Classification:	VDP.GUTSWEIN		
Style:	Dry		
Analytics:	alc. 10,0%vol	7,7 g/l res. sugar	8,1 g/l total acidity
EAN:	4033513003141		
Closure:	Natural cork		
Harvest:	Mid October, picked by hand		
Terroir:	The grapes originate from vineyards in the Ruwer valley, a tributary of the Mosel River. Wine has been cultivated since antiquity on the steep slopes lining the Ruwer between Franzenheim and the mouth of the Mosel, a stretch of roughly fifteen kilometers. The unique microclimate of the area, plus the distinctive Devonian slate in the soil, has created the ideal combination for producing unforgettable Rieslings.		
Vinification:	The grapes were carefully brought to the cellar and then directly put on the press. The fermentation took place under a controlled temperature of 16-19 °C in stainless steel. The wine was filtered and bottled in September 2014.		
Description:	Green flavors, apple, gooseberry; very light style, crisp and lively acidity, minerality. A wine for Riesling lovers!		

