



2010 PLANTAGENET RIESLING

Review Summary



92 pts “Light and jazzy, brimming with pineapple, lime and floral flavors that persist on the focused finish.”

Harvey Steiman, Wine Spectator
July 31, 2011

91 pts “Bright, pale straw-green; a touch of grass on the bouquet quickly gives way to an almost fleshy lime juice palate, dropping the pace slightly on the finish; could easily fill in the gaps in the future.”

James Halliday, Australian Wine Companion
2012

91 pts “Soft and almost warm smelling with a touch of sulfur that adds to the dried apricot tone of the nose. Under that fruit, there are notes of dried hay and some salt, mineral notes. Broad in the mouth, though quite bright with nice depth to the fruit up front, then a really fine mineral element builds support through the mid-palate. The fruit here has nice bitter apple tones as well as a nuanced burnt orange peel and pineapple elements. The long finish is all taut mineral and lime. This is showing very well today and in fact, seems almost a bit too precocious, but it’s delicious.”

Gregory Dal Piaz, snooth.com
July 2011

90 pts – Best Buy “Floral apple blossom scents rise out of this clean, fragrant Riesling. The minerality is a little sweaty in its youth, but it gives the wine tension and length. Decant this to serve now with salt-baked whole fish, or cellar it for six to eight years.”

Joshua Greene, Wine & Spirits
October 2011

90 pts “The 2010 Riesling presents intense lime juice, grapefruit and honeysuckle notes with just a whiff of kerosene. Light bodied, crisp and dry, it has very good concentration and a long honeyed peach finish. Delicious now, it should cellar to 2017+.”

Lisa Perrotti-Brown, eRobertParker.com
August 2011



90 pts “Bright straw. Fresh melon and tangerine on the nose, with complicating notes of jasmine, green tea and honey. Fleshy and silky on entry, then tighter in the mid-palate, offering juicy citrus and orchard fruit flavors. Very fruity but there's good energy and focus too. Finishes with very good cling and juicy persistence, the citrus note repeating.”

Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar
July/August 2011

88 pts “Fine and delicate, with a light-bodied character that works well with the wine's notes of crushed stone, lime zest and green apples. It's already harmonious and ready to drink.”

Joe Czerwinski, Wine Enthusiast
April 2012

“Plantagenet gives a creamier palate of lime and peach blossom by the ocean, giving textural aspects of fleshy fruit with saline crunch. There are layers of complexity here giving hints of dried fruit, on a moderately acidic presentation, with a nice balance of texture and zip.”

Hawk Wakawaka, WakawakaWineReviews.com
September 23, 2013

“Always remember to have food with Aussie Rieslings, such as this incisively dry and taut, green apple-y version.”

Bill St. John, Chicago Tribune “Hidden Australia”
March 14, 2012