THE LOST WATCH

In 1947, Greg Trott, founder of Wirra Wirra, lost the only watch he ever owned - a gift from his father. From that day forth, Trott never bothered with a time-piece, avoiding the responsibility for such a valuable item. He claimed to tell the time by the sun - a noble, if impractical sentiment. So Trott was notoriously late - hours, even days - for dinners, meetings, flights and gatherings. Usually his charm garnered forgiveness from those kept in wait.



Vintage

2023

Region

Adelaide Hills

Grape Variety

Riesling

Colour

Pale and clear, with green quartz at the rim.

Bouquet

Finger lime and lemon myrtle add a twist to the natural bath salts, talc and green apple Adelaide Hills Riesling.

Palate

Freesia, jasmine and green apples dance the length of the palate. The fresh lime juice line and clarity keeps the wine flavoursome and focused.

Drink

Enjoy the wine in its youth and revisit over the next 15 years.

Food Match

A rich pho soup, loaded with coriander, Thai basil and sprouts, topped with fresh chillies and lime.

Vinification

Fruit was selectively hand picked, destemmed, crushed and chilled to a membrane press. Free run and pressings juices were separated with only the free run component used for the Lost Watch Riesling. The juice was carefully racked away from solids before tank fermentation at cool temperatures. The dry wine was stabilised, filtered and bottled to capture freshness and fruit expression.

Technical Details

pH 2.42 T.A. 7.6g/L

RS 0.1g/L (dry)

ALC 12.5%

Winemakers

Emma Wood, Kelly Wellington and Grace Wang.



