



Gewürztraminer

What the press say

2016

92/100 “Plenty of flinty rose water and luscious tropical fruits. **The cool lychee palate is a thing of real beauty.** Jasmine and rose water florals linger playfully.”

- Nick Stock, www.jamessuckling.com, USA

94/100 “ ... weighty and complex gewürztraminer ... **Impressive wine**”

- Bob Campbell MW, www.bobcampbell.nz, NZ

18.5/20 “..This is a rich and luscious, weighty and powerful medium-dry Gewurztraminer...”

- Raymond Chan, www.raymondchanwinereviews.co.nz, NZ



“ a powerful but not heavy style with rich, citrusy, well-spiced flavours, gentle acidity, unusual complexity and a well-rounded, lasting finish. **Full of personality, ...**”

- Winestate Magazine, AUS



“ ... Powerful it has a beautifully perfumed, spicy bouquet, leading into a weighty wine ... unusual complexity and harmony ... **already delicious**”

- Michael Copper, www.michaelcooper.co.nz, NZ

2014

18.5/20 “ full-bodied, rich and opulent fruit flavours of tropical fruits, Turkish Delight, marmalade, honey and musk an unctuous texture and mouthfeel **The wine flows with vibrancy and energy ...**”

- Raymond Chan, www.raymondchanwinereviews.co.nz, NZ

95/100 ” ... a full and rich bouquet of Gewurztraminer ... On the palate - creamy, rich, salivating and packed with multiple fruit flavours ... ; **long rewarding finish**”

- Cameron Douglas MS, camerondouglasms.blogspot.co.nz, NZ

96/100 “ ... Rich, Alsace-style Gewürztraminer with masses of flavour and richly textured ... **Seriously good wine ...**”

- Bob Campbell MW, www.bobcampbell.nz, NZ



“ **Wow!** The glittering yellow diamond colour of this wine is quite mesmerizing ... an irresistibly un-put-downable example “

- Yvonne Lorkin, www.yvonnelorkin.com NZ

2013

95/100 “**Totally seductive Gewurztraminer** . . . It is a triumph both texturally and in terms of complexity. Above all its a lovely drink”

- Bob Campbell MW, www.bobcampbell.nz, NZ



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18.5/20 "... The mouthfeel is soft and unctuous with very fine textures, and good alcohol power and drive. Some complex reductive elements add interest and are carried to a long, soft, near-decadent finish. **This is a rich, near-decadent, medium-dry Gewurztraminer with ginger and honied flavours along with some subtle funky complexities. ...**"

- Raymond Chan, www.raymondchanwinereviews.co.nz, NZ

2012

No wine produced in this vintage

2011



... Alsace-like, with substantial body and excellent delicacy, complexity and length. Poised and youthful, it is already lovely, with rich peach, lychee and spice flavours, and a gentle splash of sweetness. **Benchmark stuff.**

- Michael Cooper's *Buyers Guide*, NZ

The aromas and flavours suggest freshly sliced, ripe pear, intertwined with hints of quince, greengage and loquat. The palate is complex and multi-faceted, with an unctuous concentration of fruit and lusciousness, balanced by a spine of minerality and grapefruit-like acidity which draw out the length and complement the lingering aftertaste.

- *Wine of the year finalist* - *Wine State magazine*, Australia

Utterly drop dead deliciously good; obviously a Gewürztraminer in the hands of a master, in this case North Canterbury winemaker Mat Donaldson, who treats Gewurz' like a great Riesling, giving it all the intensity and enhancing its acidity too. The result is an amazingly pretty, super tropical, ultra refreshing wine. **A must try . . . this wine is a winner.**

- Joelle Thompson, *DrinksBiz*, NZ