



BARNARD
GRIFFIN

ESTD 1983

RIESLING

columbia valley | vintage 2024

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RIESLING AT BARNARD GRIFFIN —

The palate effect of sugar can be mysterious in Riesling. This wine finishes with acid and fruit but is certainly not overtly sweet in flavor. It's easy to reach for Riesling with seafood and poultry; it's a wonderful, versatile wine with food.

VINTAGE 2024 —

The 2024 vintage in Washington state was marked by a near-perfect growing season that allowed grapes to ripen evenly across the Columbia Valley. The season's weather set the stage for wines with bright acidity, expressive fruit, and excellent aging potential.

Spring rains produced vines with strong canopies and healthy fruit set. Acid development and aromatics both benefitted from cool nights through the summer, as temperatures rose steadily post spring, not wavering until September. There was a moment of prolonged heat in mid-summer, but eventually the sun set into more reasonable temperatures and the vines adjusted accordingly.

Harvest began later than "usual" and temperatures were moderate throughout the harvest window allowing some varietals, particularly reds, to see an extended hang-time on the vine, which allowed for more concentrated flavors and deeper color.

TECH NOTES —

VINEYARD SELECTION

Bacchus Vineyard | WHITE BLUFFS
Lonesome Spring Ranch | YAKIMA VALLEY
Crawford Vineyard | YAKIMA VALLEY

BLEND

100% *Riesling*

WINEMAKING

PH - 3.45
TA - .8
RS - 7G/L
NO ML

FERMENTATION

Cool fermented in stainless steel to retain fruit intensity in aroma + flavor

FINISHING

Bottled in March, 2025

2090 CASES PRODUCED

TASTING NOTES —

Ripe, fruity attack
supported by tasty, cool
flavors of lime, ginger
and apple.

Complex and layered.

Less than 1% residual
sugar, a bright and
flavorful Riesling perfect
for pairing.

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