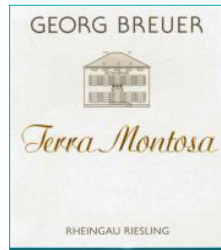




OUTSTANDING RHEINGAU ESTATE

GEORG BREUER

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"At Georg Breuer low-tech is the theme in both the vineyard and the cellar, as we reverted to natural wines made in the traditional manner. A great majority of wines with a dry finish is the logical result, although such wines can only come from the best sites giving the highest levels of concentration and mineral extract from healthy grapes, since there will be no residual sugar to camouflage thinness. A great naturally-fermented wine is in itself a demonstration of the pedigree of its source, and the vineyard sites capable of producing such wines have been perfectly known to the vintners for centuries." (Bernhard Breuer)

Founded in 1880 by Peter Breuer, partner of the venerable German wine shipping firm Scholl & Hillebrand, Breuer was passed on to Peter's son Georg and then to grandsons Bernhard and Heinrich upon Georg's passing in 1978. The shipping firm was sold and Bernhard and Heinrich used the 1980s and 90s to carefully expand the estate to its present 60 vineyard acres in the steepest, most well-drained vineyards of the Rheingau communes of Rudesheim and Rauenthal.

An authority and author on Germany's wine regions and largely credited with restoring Riesling's respectability in world markets, Bernhard Breuer worked tirelessly in defense of German viticultural integrity. Since his death in 2004, Heinrich Breuer and winemaker Hermann Schmoranz have admirably promoted these same ideals: all production follows a strict terroir-based hierarchy for the production of naturally dry wines made from healthy, physiologically-ripe Riesling grapes.



The superb Terra Montosa is a complex interplay of wines from the Rudesheimer Berg's slate/quartzite terraces and Rauenthal's loam and gravel soils, while "Charm" offers excellent value in regional Rheingau Riesling in the inimitable, elegant Breuer style. Breuer wines are characterized by their precision and balance of flavor extract and racy, aromatic elegance, achieved through disciplined harvesting and minuscule yields. Breuer Rieslings are ageworthy wines of the highest order, widely acclaimed by the international trade and press.

RIESLING CHARM *Rheingau*

Breuer's devotion to environmentally sensitive, low-yield viticulture and steep, well-drained vineyards is evidenced in the beautifully made Charm. This classic Rheingau Riesling exhibits floral scents with mineral character and excellent fruit extract.

TERRA MONTOSA *Rheingau*

Mountainside vineyards including Berg Schlossberg and Nonnenberg are harvested at optimum maturity and the wine sees extended aging on lees. Terra Montosa marries Rudesheim's slate character with the more citric, floral personality of Rauenthal for a powerful and ageworthy Rheingau Riesling.

"... features bright refreshing lemon, lime, grapefruit, and a tiny-berried sense of white currant concentration, with lip-smacking salinity and suggestions of wet stone accompanying juicy citricity on a polished palate and through a vibrant, buoyant finish. Tart but succulent, and like most Breuer Rieslings one that acid heads will find even more felicitous than my rating suggests, this ought to give a spirited performance for at least the next 4-6 years." (Parker's WA on the 2009)

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