2017 SEVENTH HILL FARM RIESLING

Seventh Hill Farm Vineyard Old Mission Peninsula

From the winemaker: "When the Seventh Hill Farm Vineyard was awarded its first Jefferson Cup for the 2011 vintage, I was thrilled; the farm really deserved it. These vines were planted in 2000 and have been immaculately cared for by Tom and Linda Scheuerman. When it earned its second Jefferson Cup in 2012, I couldn't help but think how rare it is for a baseball team to win consecutive World Series titles, and I knew I was part of something extraordinary. The 2017 vintage was awarded a third Jefferson Cup, and I am absolutely humbled. We had only produced nine vintages of this wine [to date], and 33% have earned one of the most prestigious American wine awards possible."

The 2017 vintage was fermented with a combination of chosen and volunteer yeast and were allowed to age on the lees for about seven months. Any residual sugar that lingers was produced by the vines and not necessarily a function of our decisions, except that we knew we liked it and wanted it to stay with the wine.

THE VINEYARD

Seventh Hill Farm

Appellation: Old Mission Peninsula

Varieties Planted: Riesling, Traminette, Pinot Blanc

Acreage: 5

Year Planted: 1997-2012

Grown by: Tom and Linda Scheuerman





wine specs

RS: 6 g/L

PH: 3.05

TA: 7.5 g/L

ABV: 12.5%

200 cases

Aged: 12 months

stainless

Aging window: 5 years

distinctions

2019 Jefferson Cup Winner