



# MAXIMIN GRÜNHAUS

## 2023 Herrenberg Riesling Grosses Gewächs (GG)

A deftly structured and elegant dry Riesling from the red slate soil of the Herrenberg vineyard.

The Herrenberg vineyard is based more on red slate than its blue slate neighbor, the Abtsberg. It also has deeper topsoil that retains more water, which can be of great benefit in dry years. The wines are more generous and tend to open up sooner than those of Abtsberg, but are capable of equal longevity. Grosses Gewächs (GG) is the German term for a dry wine from a Grosse Lage (grand cru) vineyard.



### ABOUT MAXIMIN GRÜNHAUS

This historic estate dates back to the 7th century, when the vineyards and buildings were donated to the Benedictine order of St. Maximin. The monastery was privatized by Napoleon in the early 19th century. In 1882, it was purchased by an ancestor of Maximin von Schubert, who is the sixth generation of the family to own the estate. Work in the vineyards is done in close harmony with nature. Fertilization is organic, and no pesticides or herbicides are used. The wines ferment naturally in the deep, cool cellar, where they are matured in stainless steel tanks and neutral oak casks.

### THE 2023 VINTAGE

The 2023 growing season started with ample rain until May, followed by a cool spring slightly delaying budbreak. A brief, dry, and hot spell in June and July spurred robust vine growth. Late summer brought rain and warm temperatures, necessitating thorough sorting during harvest to select only pristine, ripe fruit. A warm autumn with mild nights spurred grape ripening, resulting in delicately fruity Spätlese and Auslese wines, alongside rich yet refined dry wines. These Rieslings already reveal notable tension, the distinctive Grünhaus taste, and the unique characteristics of our estate vineyard sites.

### [93] Mosel Fine Wines

*"The wine proves delicately juicy and creamy on the light yet refreshing palate. The finish is spicy and focused. This is a gorgeously elegant and layered expression of dry Ruwer Riesling in the making."* – September 2024

#### TECHNICAL INFO

**Vineyard Sources:** Maximin Grünhäuser Herrenberg  
**Alcohol:** 12%  
**Residual Sweetness:** 6.8 grams/liter  
**Total Acidity:** 8.7 grams/liter  
**Total Production:** 450 cases  
**UPC:** 810404021118

#### NUTRITION INFO

**Calories:** 106 per serving (5 oz.)  
**Carbohydrate & Sugar:** 1.0 grams per serving  
**Fat & Cholesterol:** None  
**Sustainably Grown**  
**Pesticide & Herbicide Free**  
**GMO Free**  
**Gluten Free**  
**Vegan**

