

# 2015 RIESLING ZOTZENBERG GRAND CRU

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## DOMAINE HAEGI, ALSACE, FRANCE



### THE WINE:

This 100% Riesling comes from the world famous Grand Cru Zotzenberg property located in Mittelbergheim, Alsace, France. The 32 acre property is home to some of the world's best Riesling grapes. The 32 acres is divided amongst over 20 wineries, with Domaine Haegi owning just over one acre of vines here. Winemaker Daniel Haegi is able to produce just under 200 cases of a spectacular Riesling from the precious vines. Organically grown and made this wine is capable of aging for many, many years!

### THE ESTATE:

Winemaker Daniel Haegi began making wine in 1985 and is the 3rd generation Haegi to make wines on this tiny farm in Mittelbergheim, Alsace. Organically grown grapes with a great respect to native and traditional methods. Riesling, Gewurztraminer, Sylvaner, Pinot Blanc and Pinot Gris are the main grapes grown here. The winery produced less than 6,000 cases per year in total.

### TASTING NOTES:

**Color:** deep gold

**Aromas:** citrus fruit and green apples followed by lemon oil and shale

**Flavor & Texture:** hints of tropical fruit with a nuttiness on the back end; the classic riesling acidity is there but more delicate than some previous vintages of this wine where the acid was more prominent

**Food Pairing:** dover sole done in a citrus butter sauce

-DRINK NOW THROUGH 2029-