

## **CAVE SPRING**

\$23.00

\* Suggested retail price

# Riesling Estate VQA Beamsville Bench 2020



	Product code	14324111
\$	Licensee price	\$19.98
111	Format	12x750ml
	Listing type	SAQ Specialty by lot
Ö	Status	Available
•	Type of product	Still wine
	Country	Canada
Ø	Regulated designation	Vintners quality alliance (VQA)
9	Region	Ontario
9	Subregion	Niagara Peninsula, Beamsville Bench
<u></u>	Classification	Estate bottled
110	Varietal(s)	Riesling 100 %
<b>3</b>	Colour	White
۵	Sugar	Semi-dry
	Sugar content	6,2
7	Closure type	Cork
•	À boire	Best consumed 2023–2028; will
		develop and hold through at least 2032

#### **ABOUT THIS WINERY**

More than three decades ago, the Pennachetti family helped to pioneer the cultivation of noble European grape varietals on the Niagara Peninsula with the planting of their first Riesling and Chardonnay vines at Cave Spring . In the years since, Cave Spring has established itself as one of Canada's most acclaimed wineries, earning a reputation for crafting elegant and distinctive cool-climate wines in the heart of Ontario's wine country.

#### **TASTING NOTES**

Colour Pale yellow.

Nose Concentrated aromas of pineapple, candied lemon, yellow plum and almond paste; hints of white cherry, white flowers and biscuit.

Palate Dry and medium bodied; lush up front with ripe Honeydew and grapefruit tones; the middle shows richly extracted papaya, orange rind and lemon curd flavours, a firm, stony core, rounded edges, and mild salinity throughout; the finish is crisp and generous, with lengthy notes of peach preserve, citrus peel., ginger root and fresh pastr...

### **PRODUCT NOTES**

2020 was a warm, dry vintage with low-to-moderate yields and highly concentrated fruit. Riesling ripened somewhat early, delivering fully extracted wines with ample acidity and long-term cellaring potential.

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#### **PRODUCTION NOTES**

This wine originates from our Cave Spring Vineyard, located on a hillside of the Niagara Escarpment overlooking Lake Ontario known as the Beamsville Bench.

Cool temperature, indigenous yeast fermentation in stainless steel over a 4 week period; 7 months on the fine lees prior to bottling.





