

Annie's Lane Riesling 2022

In the early days of winemaking in the Clare Valley the local community would often help each other during the busy times of the season. After delivering lunches to workers pruning vines in the middle of winter one year, Annie Wayman's horse-drawn cart struck difficulty in negotiating the muddy track back to her cottage. From that day on, the track has been affectionately known as Annie's Lane, and today borders one of our major vineyards in the Clare Valley.

The 2022 Annie's Lane Riesling is light green in colour with a lime hue. The nose offers strong aromas of citrus with subtle nuances of fennel and orange blossom. The vibrant palate finishes with lemon and lime drive and a chalky mouthfeel.

This wine is light to medium bodied, with pure Clare Valley Riesling characteristics - lime, talc, spice and floral notes.

Winemaking

The grapes were crushed and drained during the cool of the night. After a cold settling period of 3 to 5 days, these juices were racked to ferment. Following fermentation, all parcels were racked again and then evaluated for the final Annie's Lane blend.

Winemaker

Tom Shanahan

Cellaring

Drinking wonderfully now and will develop complex toasty aged characters with careful short term cellaring.

Technical Analysis

Harvest Date: February/March 2022

pH: 3.00

Acidity: 8.21g/L Alcohol: 11% RS: 3.55 g/L

Bottling date: May 2022

