

# LeoBuring

## LEONAY EDEN VALLEY MATURATION RELEASE DWQ97 RIESLING 2013

Since 1945 Leo Buring has established a reputation as Australia's foremost maker of Riesling. At Leo Buring we only make Riesling, it is the grape variety that encapsulates everything we strive for; purity, elegance, time and place and the structure to age gracefully.

The goal of Leo Buring is simple; to make the best Riesling in Australia and Leonay is our premier Riesling of each vintage. Each year we source the best parcel of grapes from either the Clare or Eden Valley that expresses the purity, elegance and longevity embodied in the Leonay history. In exceptional vintages, like 2013, a select parcel is identified for extended bottle maturation before release.

The 2013 Leo Buring DWQ97 Leonay Riesling from Eden Valley has developed exceptionally from 9 years bottle age, intensifying in flavour and complexity and is a great example of mature Eden Valley Riesling of pedigree.

### WINEMAKER COMMENTS

#### VINTAGE CONDITIONS

The 2013 vintage was characterised by dry conditions and an early and quick onset of ripening. Flavour development was excellent and fruit was harvested in pristine condition without any disease influence. Yields were slightly above average and fruit developed steadily displaying lovely natural balance.

#### GRAPE VARIETY

Riesling

#### VINEYARD REGION

Woodbury Vineyard, Eden Valley, South Australia

#### COLOUR

Luminous golden straw with green hue

#### NOSE

Enticing and complex displaying classic bottle aged characters of lemon butter on toast, grilled cashew and lemon custard.

#### PALATE

The palate is powerful and flavoursome with layers of lemon curd, brown lime, pastry crust and almond meal. The acidity has softened providing a mouth-watering finish with impeccable flavour length. A classic Eden Valley Riesling showing the complexity, intensity and character of bottle development.

#### MATURATION

This wine was bottled shortly after vintage 2013 and then matured for 9 years before

#### TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

##### HARVEST DATE

Blk F2 S5 harvested 20th and Blk F2 S8 harvested 18th February.

##### pH

2.78

##### ACIDITY

8.8

##### ALCOHOL

11.3

##### RESIDUAL SUGAR

3.0g/L

##### BOTTLING DATE

September 2013

##### PEAK DRINKING

Bottle matured to be enjoyed upon release

