



Misha's Vineyard 'The Gallery' Gewürztraminer 2019



5 Stars ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ "The delicious 2019 vintage (5*) was estate-grown at Bendigo and 50 per cent of the blend was fermented with indigenous yeasts in old French oak barrels. Bright, light yellow/green, it is fleshy and highly perfumed, with concentrated, ripe, peachy, spicy flavours, a hint of ginger, and an off-dry (11 grams/litre residual sugar), smooth finish. A powerful, finely poised, youthful wine, it should break into full stride 2022+" April 2020 (**Michael Cooper, The Guide to New Zealand Wines**).

18.5+ Stars ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ "Bright, even, pale yellow colour. The nose is elegant and lush with classic varietal nuances of lychee, rose water, melded with ginger and aromatic spices with good concentration. Medium-light bodied, off-dry to taste, the palate is soft and elegant with lychee and lime, flows with rose water, Turkish delights entwined with ginger, cinnamon, and nutmeg spices. The acidity is fresh with good energy, lifted the fruit element and balance. The mouthfeel is smooth with a honeyed texture, attractive and poise. There is an alcohol power, carries all the flavours effortlessly to a sustained finish. This is an elegant, off-dry Gewürztraminer with all its classic charm, along with balanced acidity and a smooth, honeyed mouthfeel. Match with Thai green curry and spicy Asia fare over the next 3-5 years. Handpicked, whole bunch pressed. 100% fermented in older French oak barrels to 14% alc, 11 g/l RS. June 2020 (**Candice Chow, Raymond Chan Wine Reviews**).

94/100 ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ **5 stars** "Offering fabulous fruit purity and varietal expression, the wine shows lifted aromas of mango, lychee, citrus peel and subtle rose petal on the nose, leading to a wonderfully flavoursome palate that's succulent and rounded. It's bright and refreshing with a lengthy delectable finish. At its best: now to 2024." March 2020. (**Sam Kim, Wine Orbit, www.wineorbit.com**)

93/100 "Blossoms and white spice, wet stone and apricot, white fleshed nectarine and citrus peel; exotic without being overdone, a sophisticated, calm and elegant bouquet of Gewurztraminer. On the palate - a fleshy almost juicy texture in a just dry style with a core of white fleshed stone-fruit, apple and citrus flavours, medium-acidity, a contrasting and finely textured front palate feel and gently warming alcohol. Well-made, balanced and ready to enjoy from today and through 2024." March 2020 (**Cameron Douglas MS, www.camdouglasms.com**)

93/100 "A restrained, floral aroma leads to a concentrated palate that's bursting with varietal markers including white rose, jasmine, spice, anise and potpourri. A fragrant, charming gewürztraminer with a silken texture and lengthy finish." March 2020 (**Bob Campbell MW, www.therealreview.com**)

Very good - Excellent "Fragrant nose reminiscent of cologne with a little dried herb and biscuit. Sweeter fruit on entry with honey and rose petal accentuating the richness, while freshening acidity gives attractive lift. Flows through the mouth to an almondy bittersweet note on the long close. A nicely expressed example." February 2020 (**Mark Henderson, Otago Daily Times**)