



GRAY MONK ESTATE WINERY

Generations of Commitment

For Gray Monk, it is a decades-long tradition to produce exceptional wine made from grapes grown throughout the scenic Lake Okanagan Valley. The year 2017 marked 45 years of vineyard operations and 35 years of wine production, making Gray Monk the oldest estate winery in British Columbia.

To celebrate this milestone year, Gray Monk Estate Winery has expanded their Odyssey line of wines. The popular Latitude 50 Series and Estate Wine Series will still be offered.



Okanagan Wine Country

2016 Riesling

VARIETAL COMPOSITION	100% Riesling
APPELLATION	Okanagan Valley
PH	3.14
TOTAL ACIDITY	6.75 g/l
RESIDUAL SUGAR	20.5 g/l
ALCOHOL	12.6%
CASES PRODUCED	2,142
UPC	7-78829-11623-2
WINEMAKER	George Heiss Jr. & Roger Wong
WINEMAKERS COMMENTS	<i>With a hue of burnished lemon gold, this wine has aromas and flavours of lemon, lychee, white peach and mint. It is lively and fresh on the palate with excellent balance.</i>

Pale straw in colour this 2016 Riesling has a pretty nose of orange blossom, lime sorbet and subtle minerality. The zesty palate displays flavours of key lime, green apple, and gooseberry on the refreshing mineral finish.

WINERY BACKGROUND

The Heiss family has been a pioneer of the wine industry since 1972, from growing grapes to supporting the promotion of British Columbia's world famous VQA wines. In 2017, Gray Monk joined the Andrew Peller Limited family of wineries.

At Gray Monk Estate Winery, optimum growing conditions allow a range of cool climate grape varieties to flourish, including Pinot Gris, Pinot Blanc, Chardonnay, Gewurztraminer and Pinot Auxerrois. The Heiss family grew grapes for 10 years prior to establishing the winery. Today, some of the original surviving vines are now more than 25 years old and used to make Gray Monk's signature wines. Gray Monk also creates red wines of note, such as Pinot Noir and Merlot, from grapes that are grown in the Okanagan Valley.

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