

Weingut Albert Gessinger

Germany - Mosel

The Gessinger family has been making wine in the Mosel since 1680. Current owner & winemaker is Albert Gessinger, with involvement from his daughter, Sarah. The family is originally from Trentino-Alto Adige.

Their vineyards are located in the famous Zeltinger region, the longest continuous south-facing slope on the Mosel. They have three vineyards: Zeltinger Sonnenuhr, Zeltinger Schlossberg and Zeltinger Himmelreich regions. The Zeltinger Sonnenuhr vineyard is further divided into two subunits - "Caldo Infernale" (hot cauldron) and Josefsberg ('Joseph's hill' in old vines).

The Estate consists of 8 acres (3.2 hectares), planted to 80% Riesling, 15% Spatburgunder (Pinot Noir), and 5% Dornfelder (new red wine clone developed in 1956). All of their white wines are 100% Riesling planted on Devon Slate.

Gessinger's production is quite small, at less than 2,000 cases. Weingut Gessinger joined the Bernkasteler Ring in 1899.

The logo for GESSINGER features the brand name in a bold, serif font with gold lettering and a gold outline. The letters are spaced out, and the entire name is set against a dark background with a gold horizontal bar above and below the text.

Founded
1680
Location
Germany
Wine Production Area
Germany - Mosel -
Owners
Albert Gessinger
Winemaker
Albert Gessinger
Grape Varietals
Riesling, Spatburgunder (Pinot Noir), Dornfelder
Annual Production
2,000 (9-liter cases)
Website
www.weingut-gessinger.de