

## JUSTIN BOXLER

Alsace, France

## Gewurztraminer Grand Cru Florimont 2018

**VARIET Y & TERROIR** 100% Gewurztraminer on Marnes and limestone

> **VINEYARD AGE & YIELD** 40+ year old vines & 40 hl/ha

> > **FARMING PRACTICES** Certified organic

## **VINIFICATION & AGING**

Long and soft pressed. Cold settled before native fermentation in old foudres & aged on the fine lees

TOTAL ACIDIT Y & RESIDUAL SUGAR 2.44 g/L & 38.71 g/L

ALCOHOL

14,39 %

## PRODUCTION

150 cases

This Gewurztraminer is a representation from the Florimont classified Grand Cru vineyards, in its most singular expression, exclusively influenced by the Alsatian micro-climate. This wine is from a single plot, the "Erdhauser", planted in 1976. Harvested by hand, the grapes are gently pressed for 6 hours to preserve their aromas. The vinification is done by gravity and matured on fine lees in century old foudres before being bottled in the summer.

"Blessed with holdings in the Grand Crus Sommerberg, Brand and Wineck-Schlossberg, along with lieu-dit Pfoeller and other choice parcels in Niedermorschwihr. Vinification is done in century-old wooden foudres, and Florent and Charlotte seek a drier, more old-school style (recalling Léonard Humbrecht or Théo Faller in the 1970s) but still deeply-flavored, tighly-wound and indicative of serious time spent in the vines.

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