



KURTATSCH LAGREIN RISERVA D.O.C. FRAUENRIGL 2020

Lagrein is South Tyrol's oldest autochthonous vine. It grows best in the deep, warm soil of Bolzano (Gries) and the area known as Unterland (Kurtatsch), which arose out of loamy sand deposits from rivers and streams. The Frauenrigl wine-growing area is a very warm site, directly above the Wine Road and northwest of the village of Kurtatsch. Here, Lagrein reaches optimum ripeness and can bring its full potential to fruition. The seductive Frauenrigl has opulent fruit, including wild berries, elderberries, black cherry and cocoa beans. The wine takes on balsamic tannins as it matures in barrique. During subsequent aging in large wooden barrels, the fine toasting of the wood and zesty acidity attain a harmonious balance with the powerful, fruity body. It is said that the best Lagrein not only shows great concentration and length in the finish, but also a unique earthy note. The loamy soil is responsible for the wine's typical site characteristics, which gives a piquant spiciness to the long and exquisitely fruity finish.

TASTING NOTES

Colour: Dense Garnet

Variety: Lagrein

Production Zone: Midway down the slopes of Kurtatsch

Soil : Deep, warm, loamy sandy soil

Vinification : Temperature-constricted fermentation in rotor tanks and aging in oak barrels for 12 months (15% new wood), followed by storage in large wooden barrels

Storage potential: 7 - 10 years **Total acidity:** 5,4 g/l **Residual sugar:** 1,8 g/l **Soil:** Deep, warm, loamy sandy soil

TERROIR

FRAUENRIGL 280-350M

In former times, *Rigl* meant "small plot of land" in South Tyrol. *Frauenrigl* (*Frauen* = women) derived from the fact that women were frequently the property owners in this situation. It is the red clay above the Wine Road that gives our Lagrein its distinctive spiciness. The extremely warm site, situated between 280 and 350 meters in altitude, serves the heat-loving Lagrein well.

AWARDS

LAGREIN FRAUENRIGL DOC 2015

90/100 points - silver medal Decanter World Wine Awards 2018

93/100 points Luca Maroni 2019

LAGREIN FRAUENRIGL DOC 2014

excellent Wein-Plus.eu 2017

93/100 points Luca Maroni 2018

LAGREIN FRAUENRIGL DOC 2013

90/100 points Luca Maroni 2017

90/100 points Antonio Galloni - VINOUS.com

88/100 points Falstaff 2017

silver medal AWC Vienna 2016

2 glasses Gambero Rosso 2017

92/100 points - 3 stars I vini di Veronelli 2017

excellent Wein-Plus.eu 2017

LAGREIN FRAUENRIGL DOC 2012

91/100 points Luca Maroni 2015

90/100 points - 3 stars I Vini di Veronelli 2014

4 grappoli Bibenda 2015

Final Slow Wine 2015

68 - 88/100 points Falstaff 2014/2015

87 /100 points Enogea 2013

LAGREIN FRAUENRIGL DOC 2008

92/100 points Luca Maroni 2014

90/100 points Falstaff 2013

4 grappoli Bibenda 2014

2 glasses Gambero rosso 2014

LAGREIN FRAUENRIGL DOC 2008

91/100 points - 3 stars I Vini di Veronelli 2012

3 stars Selection 2011