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Ravines 2016 Dry Riesling

Finger Lakes, Finger Lakes

White wine from United States

Drinking window: 2019 - 2029

Typical of the warmer 2016 vintage, this is big, fleshy and tropical, featuring pineapple and petrol on the nose. The complex palate delivers ripe fruit with an underlying saltiness. Soft and muted acidity at first, but finishes with a note of crisp, juicy green apple. 4 grams per liter residual sugar, and 6-8 months on the lees.

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**Ravines 2015 Dry Riesling Argetsinger
Vineyard**

Finger Lakes, Finger Lakes

White wine from United States

Drinking window: 2019 - 2035

One of the most thrilling, complex Rieslings I tasted in the Finger Lakes. Pretty nose of fresh white flowers, nuttiness and talc. In the mouth, it's juicy, lively and balanced, revealing great underlying salinity. The super-long finish brings lots of white pepper. 3 grams per liter residual sugar, and 6-8 months on the lees.

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**Ravines 2017 Dry Riesling White Springs
Vineyard**

Finger Lakes, Finger Lakes

White wine from United States

Drinking window: 2019 - 2029

Significantly lighter and more ethereal than 2016. Bright, floral and earthy on the nose, presenting aromas of white blossoms, spring herbs and wet stone. In the mouth, steely and linear, with peach peel and lime zest. Pretty, elegant and fresh. 4 grams per liter residual sugar, and 6–8 months on the lees.

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Ravines 2017 Gewürztraminer

Finger Lakes, Finger Lakes

White wine from United States

Drinking window: 2019 - 2024

Gewürztraminer can be a tricky proposition in the Finger Lakes, but this is one of the better examples I tasted. Made with some skin contact and nearly 10 grams per liter of residual sugar, this has very good acidity for the variety. Pretty, classic nose of rose and lychee; juicy green melon and spice on the palate. Very focused and veering more toward Alto Adige than Alsace.

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