

PETER MERTES

SWEET RED DORNFELDER

Bernkastel-Kues

WINERY OVERVIEW: The Peter Mertes winery is a family enterprise steeped in tradition, with headquarters in Bernkastel-Kues on the Mosel. Since 1924 the Peter Mertes Winery has been working to create only the best select wines from Germany. Peter Mertes is one of the few large scale bottling companies in Germany which carries out its own wine-growing with a tremendous focus on sustainability which has a positive influence on environment and quality of our wines.

REGION: Mosel, Germany

APPELLATION: Bernkastel-Kues

STYLE: Red

TYPE: Still

WINEMAKER: Peter Mertes

SOIL: Slate soil

VITICULTURE: We select the best growers in the Mosel who meet the strict standards our winery has put in place, and hand select grapes by wine type.

VINIFICATION: All wines are checked in our state of the art laboratory to ensure stability. High tech bottling lines also guarantee gravity and pressure fillers that fully displace oxygen and ensure a CO2 blanket protects the wine for longer shelf life. Last but not least, wines are stored in a state of the art cellar.

ALCOHOL: 9%

VARIETIES: Dornfelder

SIZES: 750ml

TASTING NOTES: The trademark German red grape varietal Dornfelder has a lovely purity of soft red berry fruit. Integrated soft tannins combined with forward fruit flavors make for a perfectly balanced everyday sipping wine.

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: Great with grilled red meat, sausage and chicken. Best served slightly chilled.

