

INNISKILLIN PEARL VIDAL ICEWINE 2017

A hedonistic finish to your holiday meal and an irresistible stocking stuffer.

Though Icewine's roots can be traced to centuries-old German winemakers, there is nothing more quintessentially Canadian than this luscious luxury borne of patience and subzero bravura. Grapes are left on the vine well into the winter months to concentrate and intensify the flavors, as water content freezes, thaws and dehydrates in each precious Icewine grape. Located in Niagara-on-the-Lake at the historic Brae Burn Estate, Inniskillin has been producing world-renowned Icewines from grapes grown in the Niagara Peninsula since 1984.

WINE ENTHUSIAST
94 pts
Editors' Choice

Intensely aromatic, this wine brings concentrated flavors of peach syrup, apricot jam and candied pineapple. Lush and tongue-coating, the sweetness (250 g/L residual sugar) is adequately offset with acidity, and as it rolls down the throat brings added layers of maple syrup, butterscotch and butter brickle. *March 2019*

WINE ADVOCATE
93 pts

Unctuous and rather syrupy, this is a sugar rush from the first moment. The flavors and aromatics, though, are classic. The wine itself is delicious. It is fun to just smell. This is super, a hedonistic and sexy wine with a big, flavorful finish. The juicy finish dribbles sugar and fruit all over the palate. The next day, this seemed to be in better balance and fresher but also a touch thinner. It is nuanced with some tasty pineapples. *October 2019*

JAMESSUCKLING.COM
92 pts

This is very dense and very sweet with lots of sliced-lemon, apple and honey character. Full-bodied and very sweet. Flavorful aftertaste. Drink now. *April 2019*



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