

# Shangri-La Gewürztraminer 2024

Nelson's intense colours and vibrancy have inspired our Shangri-La Art Label. The Gewürztraminer proudly features the painting "Centre of New Zealand" by well-known Nelson landscape artist Michelle Bellamy.

The Gewürztraminer 2024 is pure and focused with intriguing notes of rose petal and Turkish delight. Off-dry in style, it's a dynamic and textural wine with perfect harmony and balance.



**The Season:** Spring was near-perfect with ample sunshine and just the right amount of rain to keep the vines thriving.

Despite a drought in February and March, our old, deep-rooted vines managed to access sufficient water to ripen a beautiful crop.

Harvest 2024 proved to be one of our finest vintages to date. Free from disease or weather challenges, the grapes were hand-picked in excellent health and rich concentration by our dedicated, small team of regulars. **Big smiles all around!**

**Vegan friendly,** no animal products have been used in the production of this wine.



**Sustainable Production,**  
Sustainable Winegrowing New Zealand

**Vineyard:** all fruit from our 22 year old home block Moutere clay with a layer of sandy loam extensive manual shoot thinning and leaf plucking to keep canopy healthy and dry hand-picked on 6 March 2024 with 23.9 Brix

**Winery:** gentle whole bunch pressing gravity-fed from press area to main winery, tank fermented at low temperature to enhance aromatics and fruit-flavours, extended lees contact minimal pumping, **no fining** pre-bottling.

5% oak-aged for added complexity,  
3.3g/ltr natural residual sugar,  
bottled on 5 August 2024 under screw capsules  
in light-weight bottles to reduce carbon footprint  
**off-dry**, 14.0% alcohol

**93/100 Stephen Wong MW, therealreview.com**

Delicate aromas of rose petal slide effortlessly into the satin-textured, dry palate which is scented with subtle floral perfume and a compact, elegant core of ginger and peach blossom before finishing with a note of spicy heat which expands across the back. Not a bombastic or explosively perfumed gewürztraminer, but there is a contemplative enjoyment to be had here as its delicate flavours sustain through the subtly long finish like violin strings echoing into the empty quietness of a concert hall.  
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