

The Falcon

SERVING TEMPERATURE:	Best served 8-12°C
WINEMAKER	Chloe Gabrielsen
ALC (ABV):	10.5%Vol
TA:	9.6g/L
RS:	20.6g/L
PH:	2.87
PACKAGING:	6x750mL bottles screw cap closure
	Vegan



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Lake Chalice 2021 Vintage

Riesling

Stop for a moment and ponder this aroma. A falcon, hovering 100 feet up, drops an orange and a lemon from his talons. Within seconds they hit the ground in front of you and instantly vaporise. Can you smell that fruity duet?

A racy, medium-dry Riesling from our Walsh vineyard, Marlborough.

To taste, it's like a car chase scene from a movie. You're in the driver's seat of an open-top car speeding around a corner. You smash into a fresh lemonade stand. As you see the stand owner pump his fist in your rearview mirror, you lick your lips and experience the delicious combo of ripe fresh citrus and juicy lemonade.

Cut to new scene. Racing gloves hold a glass of fine Riesling, you take your first sip. The end. Until the next sip that is.

Region: Marlborough

Style: Racy

Vineyard: Fruit taken from Walsh vineyard in the Woodbourne area and Doctor's Creek from the Burleigh area.

Vinification: Long, cool controlled fermentation using a dedicated aromatic yeast to enhance bouquet and citrus characters. Fermentation was arrested early for a lower alcohol, off dry wine.

Appearance: Pale lemon

Bouquet: Citrus notes of ripe lemon on the nose, white orange blossom and soft florals with highlights of juicy mandarin in the background.

Palate: The palate is fresh and inviting, rich and rounded with fragrant ripe limes and lemon zest.

Cellaring: Enjoy now (probably best to wait till you're home) and over the next 3-5 years.

