



Vriniotis Assyrtiko Sur Lies 2017

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(Single vineyard Aetos/Eagle, 400 m ASL, sandy soils with pebbles, fine lees with batonnage for 6 months, 3.500 bottles for 2017). Another superb vintage from Vriniotis in Evia island. This is one of the most fascinating Assyrtikos beyond Santorini. Blind tasted I am sure a lot of people will shout out Riesling from a warmer region instead of Assyrtiko. Exotic, honeyed but also mineral on the nose. Lees ageing has given a slightly oily character to the wine which is fat but also fresh. Long finish. An Assyrtiko with a Riesling soul. (Greece&Grapes €14.60)

Producer
Vriniotis

Region

- Central Greece

Color / Type

- White

Variety
Assyrtiko

Vintage

- 2017

Date Tasted
Dec 2018

When to Drink
2018-2024

Average Price
€14.60

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