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Max Ferd. Richter
2015 Riesling Erdener Treppchen Kabinett
Mosel, Germany

## 89 Points

High acidity reinforces site-typical lemon and orange, which are pungently and coolingly tinged with sage and mint. A bright, sappy palate presence leads to a refreshingly sustained finish whose smoky inflection represents another Treppchen characteristic. Half of this wine was raised in tank, the rest in cask (as is more usual for Richters). It was bottled under screwcap – another departure from Richter norms, in accordance with the principal customer's wishes. (SR)

