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## St. Kilian Handfilled Rye & Jack Daniels

If Jack Daniel's and rye were to meet for a cask ale in a Franconian distillery, the result would probably be exactly this whisky: the St. Kilian Handfilled Rye & Jack Daniel's. This hand-filled speciality is so atypically typical that you don't know whether to put it in the rye or bourbon drawer - or rather in both.

TYPE	COUNTRY	DISTILLERY	AGE
Single Malt	Germany	St. Kilian	4 Years
ABV	PRICE/LITER		
50.7% Vol.	180.00 €/l		

### TASTING NOTES

#### NOSE

The whisky is surprisingly clean on the nose - almost like a freshly ironed flannel shirt in the morning dew. Malty and vanilla, with a splash of citrus, clearly St. Kilian's signature. Anyone who has ever had one of their purist drams in a glass will immediately feel at home here. No barrel fuss, no overloaded stuff - just pure clarity with style.

#### PALATE

The first sip almost feels like a bourbon - but one with rough edges and a little beard. Dry, sweetish, vanilla-like, then suddenly oily to syrupy. And there it is: the rye. Not dominant, but clearly enough to give the dram a little rebellious note. Spicy, savoury, slightly rustic - a nice contrast to the initial sweetness.

#### FINISH

No big fireworks, but an honest, powerful finish. Medium length, puristic, typical St. Kilian. No smoke, no frills - simply a clean finish that lingers without being intrusive.

### THOUGHTS

#### MARCEL

Here, German craftsmanship meets American whiskey DNA - the St. Kilian Handfilled Rye & Jack Daniel's delights with its charming spiciness and a clear, likable personality. It's not mainstream, but a whisky for connoisseurs who appreciate understated yet characterful drams. Drinking pleasure guaranteed - and all with a wink!

#### SASCHA

The St. Kilian Handfilled Rye & Jack Daniel's demonstrates an impressive balance between sweet bourbon notes and subtle rye spice, framed within a precise, clean structure. Despite its youth, the whisky feels surprisingly mature, with the medium-length, clean finish highlighting the distillery's technical mastery. An exciting example of German-American fusion in the whisky world.

### RATINGS

MARCEL <b>80/100</b> Excellent	SASCHA <b>80/100</b> Excellent	VALUE FOR MONEY <b>0/5</b> No rating
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