



RED WOLF



KAAPZICHT KLIPRUG

VINTAGE 2018
VARIETAL 100% Chenin Blanc

ORIGIN Bottelary Hills, Stellenbosch
COUNTRY South Africa

WINE MAKING NOTES

Planted in 1982 these old bush vines now never yield more 4 tons per Hectare. Unirrigated and planted in weathered granite topsoil and crumbly clay sub-soil it's called "Kliprug" because of all the numerous rocks on the ground.

Grapes are picked by hand and then whole bunch pressed without the use of Sulphur. The juice is left 1 day to settle before racking it to barrels and leaving it to naturally ferment until dry. The wine is stirred once a month and kept in the 300/400 and 500L barrels for almost a year before sulphuring up and bottling it. The RS is natural sugar which did not ferment dry.

TASTING NOTES

Wonderful sun-ripe yellow fruit with crunchy apple, fresh pineapple and a hint of oak. The palate is medium bodied and fresh, yet still complex. A rich fruited core of fruit on the builds to a crisp, dry finish.

FOOD PAIRING

Poultry, creamy cheeses, herb crusted goat cheese, sweet and sour pork, dishes with red peppers, corn, or squash, a perfect pairing with your Thanksgiving turkey.

AGING RECOMMENDATIONS

2-4 years.

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 13.60% RS: 2.9 g/l
TA: 5.4 g/l pH: 3.45

ABOUT THE WINERY

The name "Kaapzicht" (Cape View) comes from the fantastic view this winery has over Cape Town and Table Mountain.

Since the first vintage was bottled in 1984, Kaapzicht has become highly respected for both quality and value, having earned a multitude of local and international awards. The Steytler Family has been running their 190 hectare large estate hands-on for three generations: Brothers Danie and George are winemaker and viticulturist, respectively, and their wives are in charge of marketing and finances, as well hiring out a venue and a self-catering cottage. Son, Danie Junior, assumed responsibilities as winemaker in 2009 as the family tradition lives on.

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