

Groote Post The Old Man's Blend Red 2003

NOT AVAILABLE FOR TASTING AT CELLAR DOOR

The components of this unusual blend received similar treatment in the winery as Groote Post's single-variety releases, but for reasons of style were excluded from the final bottlings. The elegance of this wine - a combination of ripe fruit and well-judged seasoning in French oak barrels - make it a rare treat at the price.

variety : Merlot | 44% Merlot, 33% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Shiraz, 5% Pinot Noir

winery : Groote Post Vineyards

winemaker : Lukas Wentzel

wine of origin : Coastal

analysis : alc : 13.5 % vol rs : 2.4 g/l pH : 3.77 ta : 5.6 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork



in the vineyard : Vines planted: 1993

Soil: Hutton & Oakleaf

Irrigation: None

Trellising: 5 wire Perrold

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested at 23rd Belling.

in the cellar : Wood maturation: 40% in 3rd fill barrel

Bottled: September 2004

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