

Raka Sangiovese 2005

Michelangelo Awards 2006 - Silver Medal

Pleasant sweet and sour cherries with good wood integration. Soft and velvety on the finish.

variety: Sangiovese | 100% Sangiovese

Winery: Raka Wines

winemaker: Tanya Rousseau
wine of origin: Kleinriver Ward

analysis: alc:13.5 % vol rs:2.66 g/l pH:3.65 ta:4.89 g/l

type:Red style:Dry wooded

pack : Bottle

John Platter 2009: 3 Stars

in the vineyard: Grapes picked from vines located in the Klein River district.

about the harvest: All grapes were hand picked and sorted twice before a pure yeast culture called BM 45 was inoculated.

in the cellar: The juice was pumped over the skins 3-5 times per day for 5 days. Once fermentation was complete, the wine was drained of the primary lees and transferred to a resting tank. Malolactic fermentation and a brief settling period preceded the wine to a combination of 225 litre of French and Hungarian oak types.

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