

Vriesenhof Kallista 2003

KALLISTA - "To Kalon Kai Agathon", derived from Plato's statement that in life one should look for "the good & the beautiful/noble", is the Greek name chosen for the flagship blend in the Vriesenhof range of wines from Vriesenhof Vineyards, in Paradyskloof, Stellenbosch.

Young and lively with compact fruit. The wine shows powerful acidity with dried fruit flavours with little regard from the oak, although it was matured for 30 months in 2nd fill barrels.

The Kallista is a meal on its own or just have it with a simple creamy cheese like brie.

variety : Cabernet Franc | 35% Cabernet Franc, 34% Merlot, 31% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : Vriesenhof Vineyards

winemaker : Jan "Boland" Coetzee

wine of origin :

analysis : alc : 14.01 % vol rs : 1.8 g/l pH : 3.34 ta : 6.3 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

in the vineyard : Situation: On the slopes at Vriesenhof farm, Paradyskloof, Stellenbosch

Altitude: 200m

Distance from sea: 8km

Soil Type: Decomposed Granite

Rootstock: 101-14

Age Of Vines: 8 years

Trellising: 5 wire hedge

Pruning: Short

Irrigation: Supplement overhead

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