

## Christine-Marie Shiraz 2006

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**2007 Swiss International Air Lines Wine Awards - Bronze Award**

Ripe red berries dominate nose with clean, sweet spiced notes. Full and round in the mouth with surprisingly well rounded tannins for the age of the wine. Lots of berry flavour eager to release, which will happen with time. Good structure and fine balance.

Excellent accompaniment to beef fillet.

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**variety :** Shiraz | 100% Shiraz

**winery :** Niel Joubert Wines

**winemaker :** Ernst Leicht

**wine of origin :** Paarl

**analysis :** alc : 16 % vol   rs : 3.9 g/l   pH : 3.65   ta : 4.8 g/l

**type :** Red   **style :** Very Dry   **body :** Full   **taste :** Herbaceous   **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle   **closure :** Screwcap

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**ageing :** Drinking now, yet has lots of development potential.

**in the vineyard :** Grapes were selected from vineyards on the slopes of the Simonsberg mountain.

**about the harvest:** The grapes were hand harvested in mid-March 2003 at 25.5Â° Balling.