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Villiera Traditional Bush Vine Sauvignon Blanc 1998

An intensely flavoured Sauvignon Blanc with hints of green pepper, fig and flint on the nose. The palate is fresh and lively with a long finish and good balance.

variety : Sauvignon Blanc | 100% Sauvignon Blanc
winery : Villiera Wines
winemaker : Jeff Grier
wine of origin : Stellenbosch
analysis : **alc :** 12.8 % vol **rs :** 2.5 g/l **pH :** 3.3 **ta :** 6 g/l
type : White **style :** Dry **body :** Medium **taste :** Herbaceous
pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

PREVIOUS AWARDS

- **1997**: Diners Club Winemaker of the Year Winner
- Veritas Awards - Double Gold Medal
- SAA Awards - First Class
- WINE Magazine - 4 Stars
- International Wine & Spirit Competition - Silver Medal
- International Wine Challenge - Silver Medal
- **1998**: Veritas Awards - Silver Medal
- **1999**: Veriats Awards - Gold Medal
- SAA Awards - First Class
- **2000**: International Wine & Spirit Competition - Silver Medal
- International Wine Challenge - Bronze Medal
- John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4½ Stars
- SA Young Wine Show - Gold Medal
- Veritas Awards - Silver Medal
- **2001**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4½ Stars
- **2002**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4½ Stars
- Concours Mondial de Bruxelles - Silver Medal
- **2003**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- **2004**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- **2005**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- **2006**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- SAA Awards - Premium Class White
- DECANTER World Wine Awards - Silver Medal
- **2007**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- **2008**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- SAA Awards - Premium Class White
- **2009**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- Concours Mondial de Bruxelles - Gold Medal
- Mundus Vini (Germay) - Gold Medal
- International Wine & Spirit Competition - Silver Medal
- WINE Magazine - 4½ Stars & Top Ten Sauvignon Blanc
- **2010**: John PLATTER Wine Guide - 4 Stars
- WINE Magazine - 4 Stars

ageing : The Bush Vine Sauvignon Blanc also has potential to improve with maturation for up to 3 years.

in the vineyard : The highly rated Villiera Bush Vine Sauvignon Blanc is a single vineyard wine made exclusively from older, low yielding untrellised vines. This form of training results in a different style of Sauvignon Blanc. The denser canopy provides more shade on the bunches resulting in grassier, herbaceous flavours and the limited yield ensures greater intensity.

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