

Eikendal Classique 2009

The true essence of Eikendal...no stone was left unturned in creating this quality. Tightness, freshness, length, pure elegant fruit, with finesse as the core. Perfect oak integration and not your typical wood chewing icon wine. A wine with soft nuances, whispering it's secret in your ear. This wine typifies what Eikendal is all about – it is a classy, understated red wine with staying power.

Enjoy with medium rare fillet medallions and rocket, Carpaccio with fresh beetroot, or a rich chocolate and berry tart. Serving Temperature: 18oC -20oC in large red wine glasses.

variety : Merlot | 52% Merlot, 28% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20%, Cabernet Franc

winery : Eikendal Vineyards

winemaker : Nico Grobler

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 14.5 % vol rs : 2.1 g/l pH : 3.5 ta : 6.1 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show 2012 - The Old Mutual Trophy for Best Red Wine

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ageing : Eikendal Classique is delicious right now, although newly bottled, shows an excellent shows potential for maturation during the next 10-15 years.

about the harvest: Each variety was picked and vinified separately.