

Amani Poppy Blush Rose 2011

The Amani Poppy Blush Rose 2011 displays a beautiful cranberry red colouring. The first nose is a show of sweet vanilla expression fused with sun dried cranberries. The second nose has the tangy crispness of lime that flows into a spearmint- aniseed impression. Palate entrance is subtle then opens-up to a sweet raspberry taste with a tangy lime covering around the berry flavours. The delicate balance between the crisp element and the sweet, gives this wine a coverall inviting appeal.

Serve very chilled

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz

winery : Amani Vineyards - CLOSED

winemaker : Carmen Stevens

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : **alc** : 15.0 % vol **rs** : 7.9 g/l **pH** : 3.33 **ta** : 5.4 g/l **va** : 0.41 g/l **so2** : 129 mg/l **fso2** : 33 mg/l

type : Red

pack : Bottle **size** : 0 **closure** : Screwcap

in the vineyard : The name Poppy Blush originates from the red poppies that is planted every second year in-between our vines in remembrance of the owners late son, Forest Myers.

Soil Type: Fernwood and Longlands

Location: Polkadraai Hills

Origin: Stellenbosch

about the harvest: and picked grapes at 25° - 25.5°B from 9 and 7 year old Shiraz vines
Yield = 7 tons/ha.

in the cellar : Only free-run juices are used in the production of the Poppy Blush. The free-run is obtained by the saignée method. The sweet juice was inoculate with a pure yeast culture and fermented at between 13° - 15° C. The cold fermentation ensures that the pure fruit quality of the variety is preserved and expressed in the bottle.

