

Wildeckrans Barrel Select Reserve Pinotage 2012

A rich, though fresh climate Pinotage with great structure and depth. Multi layered complexity with red fruits and dark plums combined with serious French oak ageing for 24 months. Big and elegant.

Any type of steaks, but great with sweeter pepper sauces. It's a wine that could be enjoyed with anything. Because its so great, it can make any meal taste great.

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

winery : Wildeckrans Wine Estate

winemaker : William Wilkinson

wine of origin : Bot River

analysis : alc : 15.0 % vol rs : 3.8 g/l pH : 3.48 ta : 5.6 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **size :** 0 **closure :** Cork

2013 International Wine and Spirit Competition - Silver Outstanding

2013 Michelangelo International Wine Awards - Sue van Wyk Pinotage Trophy and Gran D'Or Award

ageing : 7 - 10 yearsbr /

in the cellar : After harvesting grapes were delicately destalked and crushed. Cold soak maceration overnight. Inoculated with special yeast where pump-overs occurred every 4 hours. Only free run juice was used. Malolactic fermentation in new French oak barrels and further matured for 24 months.

