

Raka Five Maidens 2011

Bouquet & Palate: Blackberries, spices and liquorice on the nose with a cigarbox background. A full bodied wine with well integrated oak, it has beautiful depth of character which will ensure successful ageing.

Appearance: Clear dark red colour

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 40% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet Franc, 32% Merlot, 8% Malbec, 10%Petit Verdot
winery : Raka Wines
winemaker : Josef Dreyer
wine of origin : Klein River
analysis : alc : 14.0 % vol rs : 2.5 g/l pH : 3.58 ta : 6.0 g/l
type : Red style : Dry body : Full wooded
pack : Bottle size : 750ml closure : Cork

John Platter Wine Guide 2015 - 4½ Stars

about the harvest: All grapes were hand picked.

in the cellar : Grapes were sorted before a pure yeast culture was inoculated. The juice was pumped over the skins 3-5 times per day for 5 days. Once fermentation was complete, the wine was drained of the primary lees and transferred to a resting tank. Malolactic fermentation and a brief settling period preceded the wine to a combination of 225 litre barrels of French and American oak types.



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