

Vrede en Lust Artisan Range Pinotage 2013

Pair with a typical South African braai!

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage
winery : Vrede en Lust Estate
winemaker : Susan Erasmus with Ansoone Stoffberg
wine of origin : Simonsberg-Paarl
analysis : alc : 13.5 % vol rs : 3.1 g/l pH : 3.51 ta : 5.3 g/l
type : Red **style** : Dry **wooded**
pack : Bottle **size** : 750ml **closure** : Screwcap

ageing : Drink now or through 2018.

The Vrede en Lust Artisan Range is handmade, in small quantities, especially for our Wine Club members who are always the first to receive new releases. The result - a deep purple coloured wine, with typical Pinotage fruit on the nose, matured in barrel for 11 months leading to balanced complexity between fruit and oak.

in the vineyard : The Pinotage grapes are sourced from our vineyards in Simonsberg-Paarl, the same Pinotage block where the Jess comes from.

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested at 25° Balling.

in the cellar :

Fermented in an open fermenter – malolactic fermentation took place in oak – and the wine was matured for a further 11 months before bottling.

10 Barrels were specially selected by the winemaker to make this unique terroir driven wine.

