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GlenWood Vigneron's Selection Chardonnay 2015

Bold and powerful citrus burst, mouth-fillingly rich and creamy vanilla with beautifully integrated oak.



variety : Chardonnay | 100% Chardonnay
winery : GlenWood Vineyards
winemaker : DP Burger
wine of origin : Franschhoek
analysis : **alc :** 14.03 % vol **rs :** 2.9 g/l **pH :** 3.48 **ta :** 5.8 g/l **va :** 0.49 g/l **so2 :** 135 mg/l **fso2 :** 27 mg/l
type : White **style :** Dry **body :** Medium **wooded**
pack : Bottle,Box **size :** 750ml **closure :** Cork

ageing : Drink now or mature for up to 10 years for further complexity

in the vineyard : A low canopy allowed optimal sunlight penetration. Minimal irrigation was used. The fruit ripened slowly allowing the development of small bunches with highly concentrated flavours.

about the harvest: Grapes were picked at 24.7°B and whole-bunch pressed to 1.4 bars of pressure. The juice was left to settle for two days and racked to barrel. Using 100% wild yeast, fermentation occurred over a two week period.

in the cellar : The wine spent 11 months on the lees. New and second fill, small French oak barrels were used.