

## Spier Private Collection Sauvignon Blanc 2001

Veritas 2002 - Double Gold

Michelangelo International Wine Award 2002 - Double Gold

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The South African Trophy Wine Show 2002 - Bronze

Soft and elegant wine. The wine has concentrated greenpepper, asparagus, green figs and grassy flavours with a lingering palate. An excellent balance between acid and natural fruit sugar adds to the enjoyment. Ideal with chicken, lamb dishes and spicy foods.

**variety :** Sauvignon Blanc | Sauvignon Blanc

**winery :** Spier Wine Farm

**winemaker :** Frans Smit

**wine of origin :** Stellenbosch

**analysis :** alc : 13.32 % vol   rs : 3.1 g/l   pH : 3.53   ta : 6.5 g/l

**pack :** Bottle

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**ageing :** Enjoy now and until four years from harvest.

**in the vineyard :** Area: Stellenbosch

Temperature average:

Summer 23.5°C

Winter 10°C

Annual rainfall: 650 mm

Proximity to ocean: 20 km

Soil: Deep Hutton

Low yielding vineyards planted in micro-climate on steep mountain slopes, to enable grape development at low temperatures. Such conditions contribute to optimal harmony between acidity, sugar and bouquet.

**about the harvest:** The grapes were hand-picked in Mid-January.

**in the cellar :** Reductive style of winemaking, extended skin contact for 18 hours at 12°C



### Spier Wine Farm

Stellenbosch

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