

## Bianco Cabernet Sauvignon 2000

**Sold Out**

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A superb wine now four years old with an intense ruby red colour. Spicy with mixed berry fruits and traces of vanilla. Good follow through with lingering aftertaste and good balance of ripe tannins, alcohol and acid.

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : De Heuvel Wine Estate

winemaker : Toni Bianco

wine of origin : Tulbagh

analysis : alc : 13.0 % vol rs : 2.0 g/l pH : 3.5 ta : 6.2 g/l va : 0.57 g/l so2 : 76 mg/l fso2 : 32 mg/l

type : Red style : Dry wooded

pack : Bottle

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ageing : Seven years from vintage under ideal conditions to mature to optimum.

about the harvest: From the vineyard the grapes are still harvested by hand from well-managed vines to produce excellent quality grapes.

in the cellar : In the cellar controlled fermentation takes place after destemming without crushing. Gentle pressing ensures a soft fruity wine. In the Barrel Cellar the wine is matured for 12 to 15 months in French and a few American Oak barrels producing subtle oak flavours and the level of maturation we require.

