

## Rickety Bridge Noble Late Harvest 2017

Rich and ripe with apricot, peach skins with hints of mango and litchi on the nose. The wine shows honeyed aromas with white peach and a full, rich palate of tropical fruit.

Enjoyed as an aperitif or as a dessert wine with a selection of cheeses or desserts.  
Serving Temperature: 10 - 12°C

**variety :** Chenin Blanc | 100% Chenin Blanc

**winery :** Rickety Bridge Estate

**winemaker :** Wynand Grobler

**wine of origin :** Franschhoek

**analysis :** alc : 12.5 % vol   rs : 95.0 g/l   pH : 3.63   ta : 6.1 g/l

**type :** Dessert   **taste :** Fruity   **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle   **size :** 750ml   **closure :** Cork

### ageing :

Ready for your enjoyment or can be aged for up to 2021.

**in the vineyard :** Grapes selected and harvested from 43 year old Chenin Blanc vineyards, planted on Alluvial soils alongside the Franschhoek River. Very low yielding vineyards produce these concentrated bunches.

### about the harvest:

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### in the cellar :

The fermentation process lasted 27 days at 14°C in the 225L 2nd, 3rd and 4th fill barrels. This wine was further fermented and aged for fourteen months in small French oak barrels.

