

## Van Loveren Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot

This wine has sweet tobacco on the nose accompanied by notes of black currant and ripe plum. The finish recalls an earthy forest floor.

This wine pairs beautifully with rosemary lamb, turkey, roast beef served rare, or roast chicken.

**variety :** Cabernet Sauvignon | 60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot

**winery :** Van Loveren Family Vineyards

**winemaker :** Bussell Retief

**wine of origin :** Robertson

**analysis :** alc : 13.88 % vol rs : 3.1 g/l pH : 3.61 ta : 5.67 g/l

**type :** Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full

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

2025 National Wine Challenge - Top 100 and Double Platinum awards - 2023 Vintage

2024 National Wine Challenge - Double Platinum - Top 100

2023 National Wine Challenge - Double Silver

2022 National Wine Challenge - Double Gold

2022 Double Gold Awards

2021 Ultra Wine Challenge - Gold

2021 Vitis Vinifera Awards - Double Gold

2021 Michaelangelo Wine Awards - Double Gold

2020 Double Gold Awards

2019 Gold Wine Awards - Gold

2018 Gold Wine Awards - Gold

2016 Gold Wine Awards

2015 Vitis Vinifera Awards Gold

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**ageing :** 2-3 years

**in the vineyard :** Tons per hectare: 128t/ha

Age of vines: 12 Years old

Soils: Well drained alluvial sandy soil, Karoo

Trellising: 4 Wire Perold System

Irrigation: Drip, automated via meters and tensiometers.

**in the cellar :** Fermented on the skins for 7 days, followed by 8 months maturation using 100% French oak staves and barrels.



### Van Loveren Family Vineyards

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