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Babylonstoren Shiraz 2019



Colour: Deep ruby red colour
Bouquet: Fruit driven, cool cassis and pencil shavings on the nose with aromatic layers of spiciness and black pepper.
Taste: Finely crafted to portray layers of cherry, soft prune, blackcurrant and hints of spice. Elegant, velvety mouth-feel and long, lingering finish.

Any venison or game dish with a berry sauce as well as spicy dishes.

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz
winery : Babylonstoren
winemaker : Klaas Stoffberg & Charl Coetzee
wine of origin : Western Cape
analysis : **alc :** 14.5 % vol **rs :** 3.8 g/l **pH :** 3.48 **ta :** 6.1 g/l
type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Herbaceous **wooded**
pack : Bottle **size :** 750ml **closure :** Cork

2022 Decanter Wine Awards - Gold / 95 Points
2020 Michelangelo International Wine & Spirits Awards - Gold
2020 Decanter World Wine Awards - Gold
2020 Winemag Awards - 91 Points
2020 Gilbert & Gaillard Awards - 91 Points
2020 Paarl Wine Challenge Top 12 - Winner
2020 Shiraz SA Top 12 - Winner

ageing : Can be enjoyed from the year of release, with an ageing potential of up to ten years.

in the cellar : Matured in French oak, this wine has a surprisingly fresh mid-palate. Fermentation takes place on the skins for about seven days, after which it gets an extended maceration period of about one week. The wine then gets pressed into a combination of 70% new and 30% second-fill 300-litre French oak barrels. After malolactic fermentation, the wine gets racked and is then returned to the barrels for a total of 18 months before bottling.

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