

Capaia ONE 2019

Deep garnet. Tea-leaf and dark berry on the rich nose. Grippy on the full palate with dark fruit and plum on the lengthy finish. Made to age.

This powerful wine matches well with substantial dishes, like braised short ribs, grilled steak and roast venison.

variety : Petit Verdot | 30% Petit Verdot, 30% Shiraz, 28% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Cabernet Franc

winery : Capaia Wines

winemaker : Stephan von Neipperg, Bernabé Strydom, Stephan Potgieter

wine of origin : Philadelphia

analysis : alc : 14.5 % vol rs : 2.5 g/l pH : 3.65 ta : 5.5 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Fragrant **wooded**

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

2022 Gilbert & Gaillard - Double Gold

ageing : Can age up to 10 years from vintage.

about the harvest: With a late start to the winter season preceding the 2019 harvest, good rainfall was very much welcomed after a three-year drought. Spring was characterised by big weather fluctuations, but conditions improved with the onset of summer. Temperatures were moderate in December and January, followed by a hot February. Harvesting kicked off a little later than normal. A larger crop than 2018, with promising quality.

in the cellar :

Picked at optimum ripeness, grapes underwent natural fermentation in large French oak fermenters. Following malolactic fermentation, individual vineyards were kept separate for eight months. Using only the free-running juice of the individual vineyards, this blend was carefully created and matured for a further 12 months in French oak barriques.

