

Waterford Old Vine Project Chenin Blanc 2022

The Waterford Old Vine Project Chenin Blanc 2022 boasts an inviting golden hue, offering aromas of golden delicious apples and white peach, harmoniously balanced by a mineral salinity. The mouthfeel is richly layered, featuring a refreshing and enduring acidity that finely textures the body. The lingering minerality adds complexity and intrigue to the overall experience. The use of concrete egg fermentation contributes to the finish's complexity, allowing the wine to showcase the pure essence of Chenin Blanc fruit.

Chenin Blanc is a highly versatile white wine, making it an excellent companion for a wide range of meals. Whether you're enjoying a light seafood curry or a walnut and goat's cheese salad, Chenin Blanc is a perfect choice. Its mild acidity and aromatic fruity notes harmonise beautifully with spicy elements while also complementing the nutty and creamy components in various dishes.

variety : Chenin Blanc | 100% Chenin Blanc

winery : Waterford Estate

winemaker : Mark le Roux

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 13.65 % vol rs : 2.7 g/l pH : 3.62 ta : 5.40 g/l

type : White **style :** Dry **body :** Medium **taste :** Mineral **wooded**

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

2024 Platter's Wine Guide - 4.5 Stars

in the vineyard : The Old Vine Project Chenin Blanc is sourced from vineyards older than 35 years old in the Stellenbosch region. The dominating vineyard was planted in 1966.

about the harvest: The grapes are meticulously hand-harvested.

in the cellar : The bunches are gently pressed in our cellar. The resulting clear juice is then carefully transferred to concrete egg-shaped vessels for fermentation. Additionally, a small percentage undergoes fermentation in neutral barrels. After 4 months, the individual batches are evaluated and blended together and further aged for 6 months.



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