

## Beyerskloof Faith Cape Blend 2021

Intense dark fruit and cassis upon entry, with delicate spice and cedar aromas from the new oak. A big structured Cape blend with excellent complexity but still great balance. Upfront dark fruit/cassis compliments the spicy cedar oak aromas from the oak.

Pairs well with Rib eye on the bone and oxtail potjie.

**variety :** Pinotage | 35% Pinotage, 33% Cabernet Sauvignon, 32% Merlot

**winery :** Beyerskloof

**winemaker :** Anri Truter

**wine of origin :** Stellenbosch

**analysis :** alc : 15.19 % vol   rs : 2.9 g/l   pH : 3.68   ta : 5.72 g/l   so2 : 125 mg/l

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

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

### ageing :

This wine will age well for 10-15 years.

A Cape blend of Pinotage, Cabernet Sauvignon, and Merlot that is a testament to the faith Beyers Truter has in Pinotage and the abundant blessings of nature melded in this ultimate expression of South Africa's heritage grape sired in Stellenbosch soils.

A big structured, well rounded, and elegantly balanced Cape blend.

### in the vineyard :

Soil: Hutton, Clovelly and Kroonstad

Trellising: Pinotage Bush Vines - Cabernet Sauvignon & Merlot on Perold 5-wire hedge

**about the harvest:** Grapes were picked at optimum ripeness.

**in the cellar :** Made in open fermenters on the skins for 5-8 days at an average temp. of 27°C. Punching of the cap was done every 2 hours to extract good colour and flavours from the grapes. After malolactic fermentation in stainless steel tanks, the wine aged in 100% new French oak for 22 months. The Faith blend is a barrel selection of the best wines from the 2021 vintage in the Beyerskloof cellar.



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