

Stellekaya Cabernet Sauvignon 2000

Inspired by Antares in Scorpius

Inky Ruby Colour. A big wine with high alcohol. Ripe tannins with rich cassis and plum fruits with smoky and minty complexity. Wood tannins are dry and refined. This wine will age well and needs time to reach it's potential.

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : Stellekaya Winery

winemaker : Peet le Roux

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 14.4 % vol rs : 2.03 g/l pH : 3.52 ta : 6.39 g/l va : 0.61 g/l so2 :
76 mg/l fso2 : 17 mg/l

type : Red

pack : Bottle

3 stars - Wine Magazine April 2002

ageing : 6-10 years

in the vineyard : Situation: North West Slopes of Helderberg

Altitude: 180-200m

Soil Type: Tukulu (Decomposed Granite)

Age of Vines: 15 Years

Irrigation: Dry Land

Climate: Cool False Bay evening breezes

about the harvest: The grapes were hand picked at about 25° Balling and yield was about 8 tonnes per Ha after cropping was done in January.

in the cellar : Fermentation: Open Micro Fermenters

Pressing: Basket Press

Malolactic Fermentation: In the Barrel

Maturation: 20 months in New French Oak

Bottled: November 2001

