

DeWaal Shiraz 2001

A concentrated rich and full wine with flavours of spices, creamy dark fruit and a smoky undertone. The 1999 Shiraz was the Maiden vintage for Uiterwyk Wine Estate, and is the only Shiraz in South Africa made in true Northern Rhone tradition where Viognier is added to develop a softer more fragrant style.

variety : Shiraz | Shiraz fermented on Viognier lees

winery : De Waal Wines

winemaker : Daniel de Waal

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 13.5 % vol rs : 2.1 g/l pH : 3.66 ta : 5.9 g/l

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

pack : Bottle

John Platter Wine Guide 2003 - 4½ stars

Swiss Airlines International Wine Awards 2004 - Seal of Approval

in the vineyard : The DeWaal Shiraz is produced from a 25-year-old vineyard grown on gravel and loam soil. This single vineyard only produced 200 cases.

in the cellar : The wine received 14 days maceration for optimum extract of flavours and colours from the skins. Maturation for 18 months in 40% new French barriques.

