

ZANDVLIET

WINE ESTATE

KALKVELD SHIRAZ



Cellarmaster's Notes: Delicately laired nose of plums, prunes & violets with hints of spice. These fruit flavours follow through onto a delicate palate with subtle wood integration that finishes with a velvety smooth long aftertaste.

Colour: Dark ruby red with a purple border

Cultivar: 100% Shiraz

Tons Per Hectare: 4-6 ton/ha

Terroir: Slope: South
Soil: Kalkveld, rocky, chalk-rich
Climate: Moderate summer with low night temperatures, cold winter
Wind: Southeasterly in summer, Northwesterly in winter

Oenology: Harvested at 23° - 25° Balling by hand. Crush cold-soaked at 10°C for 3 days, fermented at 25 - 30°C. Malolactic fermentation at 18°C, decanted into new barrels

Maturation: Matured in 4000ℓ French oak barrels for 24 months

Analysis: Alc / Vol: 13.42%, Acidity: 5.3 g/ℓ
pH: 3.56, Residual sugar: 3.8g/ℓ

Case Size: 6 x 750ml

Bottle Barcode: 600 5653 001 149

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FOOD PAIRING

Enjoy this wine with steak tartare, fillet or lamb.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

2020 NATIONAL WINE CHALLENGE, Double Gold (2016 vintage)

2020 MICHELANGELO WINE AWARDS, Gold (2016 vintage)

2020 PLATTER'S WINE GUIDE, 4 stars (awarded in 2019)

OLD MUTUAL TROPHY WINE SHOW (93/100) Gold (2015 vintage)

TIM ATKIN (92/100)