

# THE DRY LAND COLLECTION



## Conqueror Cabernet Sauvignon 2018

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Cultivar: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon | Appellation: Paarl



### THE RANGE

The Dry Land Collection Wines are made from grapes of Dryland Vineyards, which showcase the uniqueness of the wines grown in this testing terroir. The wine is made in a new world style, complex with ample fruit and structure.

### THE VINEYARD

The grapes are harvested from two vineyards 26 and 32 years old in the Perdeberg area. The soils are mainly decomposed granite and glenrosa. The vines are in natural balance, giving a low yield of 7 tons per hectare to enhance fruit complexity.

### THE WINEMAKING

This bold wine is a true reflection of a modern-day Cabernet Sauvignon, showing typical cultivar characteristics with perfumed aromas. It is well known that vines grown under Dry Land conditions produce red wines which are naturally rich and darker in colour.

### TASTING NOTE

The nose is perfumed with hints of prune, black cherry, coriander and dry eucalyptus leaves. The palate is structured and broad with rich tannins.

### FOOD PAIRING

This bold wine is best enjoyed on cold winter evenings in front of the fire place whilst enjoying dishes like beef korma, spiced ostrich steak or oxtail casserole.

### MATURATION POTENTIAL

This wine will grow in complexity over time and can be aged under optimal conditions for long periods.

### SUITABILITY FOR VEGETARIANS OR VEGANS

Suitable for vegans and vegetarians.

### CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 14.19% by volume  
Residual sugar: 4.4 g/l  
Total acidity: 5.6 g/l  
pH: 3.48