



## Raka Biography Shiraz 2019

main variety Shiraz

vintage 2019

analysis alc: 14.0 | ph: 3.49 | rs: 3.0 | ta: 5.7

type Red

producer Raka Wines

style Dry

winemaker Josef Dreyer

taste Fragrant

wine of Klein River

body Full

### tasting notes

Dark ruby colour with liquorice and vanilla on the nose. Lots of herb-tinge with black, dark and jammy fruit. Palate is smooth and elegant with a full mid-palate. Vanilla, cigarbox and chocolate on the refined finish. Earthy and savoury.

### blend information

100% Shiraz

### about the harvest

All grapes were hand-picked.

### in the cellar

All grapes were hand-picked and sorted twice before a pure yeast culture was inoculated. The juice was pumped over the skins 3-5 times per day for 5 days. Once fermentation was complete, the wine was drained of the primary lees and transferred to a resting tank. Malolactic fermentation and a brief settling period preceded the wine to a combination of 225 litre barrels of French and American oak types.