

## Raka Sangiovese 2009

main variety Sangiovese

vintage 2009

analysis alc: 14.0 | ph: 3.35 | rs: 3.9 | ta: 6.3

type Red

producer Raka Wines

style Dry

winemaker Josef Dreyer

wine of Kleinriver Ward

### tasting notes

Fresh crushed blueberries, cinnamon and cloves gives a flowery, spice aroma. Flavours of roasted cherry tomatoes and ripe fruitcake well supported by a lingering vanilla aftertaste.

### blend information

100% Sangiovese

### about the harvest

All grapes were hand picked and sorted twice before a pure yeast culture called BM 45 was inoculated.

### in the cellar

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 of French and Hungarian oak types.

