



Darling Reserve Bush Vines Merlot 2024

main variety Merlot

vintage 2024

analysis alc: 14.1 | ph: 3.62 | rs: 3.2 | ta: 5.6

type Red

producer Darling Cellars

style Dry

winemaker Maggie Immelman, André Scriven

taste Fruity

wine of Darling

body Medium

tasting notes

This complex but also elegant wine spoils you with flavours of ripe red berry flavours and subtle mocha notes create a smooth, rounded palate, offering warmth and generous drinkability.

blend information

100% Merlot

food suggestions

A natural partner to comforting dishes such as roast lamb and tomato-based pasta.

in the vineyard

Strategically selected sites which get the warm sunny days and cooling effect of the Atlantic Ocean. Deep soils from decomposed granite, clay rich, good drainage

Vineyard type: Bush Vine, no irrigation

about the harvest

Yield: 5.5-6.5 t/ha

Balling at Harvest: 24-25°B

in the cellar

Vinification: Crush and destalk, 5 - 10 days fermentation at 24 - 26°C.

Maturation: 12 months aged on French and American oak staves.