



STELLEKAYA

LELLO FAMILY - PRIVATE CELLAR

STELLEKAYA IS A FAMILY OWNED BOUTIQUE WINERY, THAT HAND CRAFTS RED WINE FROM CAREFULLY SELECTED VINEYARDS IN THE STELLENBOSCH REGION OF THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE

STELLEKAYA ORION 2017

Inspired by the constellation Orion whose brightest star is the red giant called Betelgeuse, one thousand times larger than our sun.

VINEYARD NOTES

Site: North of Stellenbosch
Altitude: 180 -200 meters
Soil Type: Tukulu (Decomposed Granite)
Age of Vines: 10 Years
Irrigation: Drip Irrigation

HARVEST NOTES

Grapes were hand picked at full ripeness in March 2017.
The yield was approximately 1 ton per ha.

CELLAR NOTES

Maceration: cold soaked for 3 days
Fermentation: open micro fermenters
Pressing: basket pressed
Malolactic fermentation: in the barrel
Maturation: 27 months in 100% French oak
Bottled: July 2019
Production: 2078 liters

TASTING NOTE

Concentrated dark berry fruit with hints of dark chocolate, liquorice, and lavender perfume. The palate showcases complex aromas of plum fruit, gravel, coconut, and subtle whiffs of spice. Good balance between wood, tannins, and acidity, this wine has got a smooth entry and elegant finish.

FOOD NOTES

A rich dish for a rich wine – Oxtail Stew with herbs and red wine on polenta, Lamb Shank on wilted spinach and mashed potato.

AGEING POTENTIAL

8 to 10 years

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Cultivars : **74% Cabernet Sauvignon, 11% Cabernet Franc, 10% Malbec & 5% Merlot**
Alc : 14% vol
Rs : 2.6 g/l
PH : 3.40
TA : 6.0 g/l
Appellation : Stellenbosch

