



# 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 2020

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

### VINEYARD NOTES

A full-bodied Bordeaux-styled blend with layers of dark berries, cassis, leather and hints of dried tealeaf. Youthful with intense mulberry and cranberry undertones. The wine is fresh, robust and generous with a firm tannin structure and very good length.

Site:	North of Stellenbosch
Altitude:	180 meters
Soil Type:	Tukululu (Decomposed Granite)
Age of Vines:	15 Years
Irrigation:	Drip Irrigation
Climate:	Cool Climate

### HARVEST NOTES

Grapes were hand picked at full ripeness in March 2020. The yield was approximately 2 tons per ha.

### CELLAR NOTES

Maceration:	cold soaked for 3 days
Fermentation:	open micro fermenters
Pressing:	basket pressed
Malolactic fermentation:	in the barrel
Maturation:	22 months in 100% French oak
Bottled:	February 2022
Production:	1980 liters

### TASTING NOTE

A full-bodied Bordeaux-styled blend with layers of dark berries, cassis, plum, leather and hints of vanilla. Bold entry on the palate with intense currant and cranberry undertones. A well structured wine with good balanced between tannins and fruit, enhancing the character of the wine.

This wine is ready to drink now and has a good cellaring potential.

### 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

Cultivar :	<b>74% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Malbec, 10% Merlot &amp; 6% Cabernet Franc</b>
Alc :	15% vol
Rs :	4.3 g/l
PH :	3.42
TA :	6.8 g/l
Appellation :	Stellenbosch

