

Myburgh Bros. little j red 2020

Our great-grandfather and his brother combined their resources and talents in many farming endeavours, including wine. Back then, in the late 1800's and early 1900's, farming and winemaking was quite different and devoid of the additives and manipulations that are so prevalent these days. We're sticking to these old-fashioned winemaking practices and trying to make wines that are simple, pure and honest.

Apart from Joostenberg, our organic wine estate, our family also owns a popular farm deli and bistro on the farm Klein Joostenberg. "Klein" means "little" and hence the name of this delicious, generous red wine.

~Tyrrel & Philip Myburgh

Vineyards

Situated on three farms in the south western part of Paarl i.e. Joostenberg, Klipdam and Hercules Pilaar. Combination of traditional bush-vines and trellised blocks. Most are dry-farmed. Predominant soils are Malmesbury Shale and decomposed granite.

Syrah (79%) • Cinsault (17%) • Merlot (3%) • Cabernet Sauvignon (1%).

Winemaking

Grapes were hand-picked and then fermented over 7 days in stainless steel tanks and open fermenters using ambient yeast. A small portion (37%) was matured in seasoned oak barrels for 10 months and the remainder in stainless steel. Winemaking techniques focused on achieving purity and elegance.

Tasting notes

Aromas and flavours of plums, cherries and strawberries. Refreshing, aromatic and medium-bodied red with a soft, lush mouth-feel.

Analysis: pending

Alcohol 13.5% • Residual Sugar 1.8g/L • 3.6pH • Total Acid 5g/L



