

### Deetlefs Familie Red 2017



#### Tasting notes:

Dark, deep red colour. Very complex nose with black berry, black current, prune, liquorice, cedar, cloves and hints of coffee bean. A Very elegant wine, with ripe refined tannins and lingering finish. Excellent balance between fruit and oak. A wine with exceptional ageing potential.

#### Food Pairing:

Red meats and heartier vegetable pastas.

#### Blend:

45% Cabernet Sauvignon, 35% Merlot, 15 Pinotage, 5% Petit Verdot

#### Vinification:

Only grapes from the best vineyard blocks are used for this special wine. Each varietal is harvested and matured separately for 15 months in 300 liter French oak barrels (30% first fill, 15% third fill, 30% fourth fill and 25% in older barrels). Barrels are tasted, the best selected and the final blend is aged for a further 3 months.

#### Area of origin:

Breedekloof

#### Analysis:

Alc.: 13.99%  
RS: 4.0 g/l

#### Maturation:

4 – 8 years