

STELLENBOSCH

RESERVE



Arguably Stellenbosch's most beautiful church, The Moederkerk is a clean white towering example of neo-Gothic architecture completed in 1863 under the supervision and vision of architect, Carl Otto Hager.

The beautiful 'Mother church' in Stellenbosch resembles the bright and inviting 2017 Chardonnay.



Vintage : 2017

Grape Variety : Chardonnay

Appellation : W.O Stellenbosch

Analysis:

- Alcohol 14.04%
- pH 3.46
- Acidity 6.0g/l
- Res. Sugar 1.6g/l

Winemaker : Reynie Oosthuizen

Terroir:

Climate: Mediterranean

Rainfall: +- 650mm P.A

Soil Types: Decomposed Granite/ Tukulu/ Clovelly/
Hutton/Oakleaf

This Moederkerk is pure straw in colour with a tinge of green on the rim. Notes of cool citrus, pebbles, white peach and baked apple are all knitted into wisps of fine French oak. Elegant and medium to full-bodied, it is a seamless expression of quintessential, modern-styled Stellenbosch Chardonnay. Rich but deftly fruited, a line of fresh acidity cuts a delicate balance with the deep concentration and texture. The finish is long and alluring, leaving an indelible mark on your palate. Irresistible now, it will age well for 5 years.

33% of the wine was fermented in stainless steel tanks and the other 67% was fermented in old French oak barrels. The wine was then matured separately for 6 months before being blended just prior to bottling.