

BOTANICA WINES

# Botanica Wines Mary Delany Chenin Blanc 2017

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RANGE NAME	Mary Delany
WINE OF ORIGIN	Citrusdal Mountain, South Africa
VINTAGE	2017
VARIETALS	Chenin Blanc
BLEND	100% PINOTAGE
WINE TYPE	White
WINE MAKER	Ginny Povall

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Single vineyard planted in 1957 in the rugged Citrusdal Mountains. These bush vines sit at 500m elevation on decomposed sandstone and clay soils.

After fermentation the wine was left on the fine lees in stainless steel tank/oak barrels for 9 months before blending and bottling. No malolactic fermentation.

The Chenin grapes were hand harvested at optimum ripeness, hand sorted, crushed and destemmed. The juice was immediately pressed and cold settled for 2 days at 10°C. Half was spontaneously fermented in a stainless steel tank and half was spontaneously fermented in 4th fill 400 liter French oak barrels.

Complex and elegant, with layers of pure, concentrated pear, citrus and stone fruit flavors, mouth-watering acidity and a tangy, mineral core.



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RESIDUAL SUGAR	3.7 g/L
PH	3.22
ALCOHOL	14 %
TOTAL ACID	6.3 g/L

BOTTLES PRODUCED	6256
BOTTLE SIZE	750ml
BOTTLES PER CASE	12