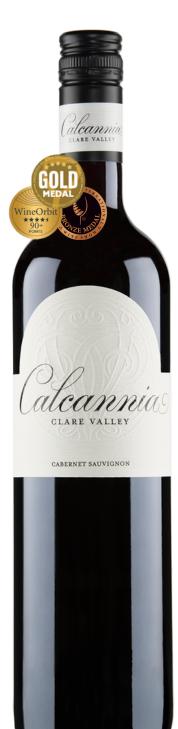
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CALCANNIA CLARE VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2022

Nestled within the picturesque Stanley Flat region of the renowned Clare Valley, you'll find Calcannia. Our name draws its inspiration from the road that gracefully winds alongside the vineyard, epitomizing our connection to the land. Located just 6 kilometers north of the township of Clare, and adjacent to the serene Hutt River, the vineyard basks in perfect conditions for crafting wines of exceptional quality.



GRAPES

Cabernet Sauvignon

REGION

Clare Valley

VINIFICATION & WINEMAKING

The 2022 vintage in Clare Valley gave exceptional conditions where the average February ripening temperatures were relatively cool, which led to an elevation in varietal characters. The Calcannia vineyard boasts sandy loam over alluvial clay, enriched with sedimentary rocks, ensuring optimal drainage and providing essential minerals for vine growth. The grapes showcase richness and a muscular fleshy character, embodying a luscious palate length. Following the harvest of nine tones of fruit, fermentation took place in an open concrete fermenter, then matured for 15 months in French and American oak hogs heads to add depth and refinement.

ANALYSIS

Alcohol14.0%pH3.4Titratable Acidity6.8



COLOUR

Dark purple.

NOSE

Revel in the delightful and fragrant expressions of blackcurrant, blackberry and dried herb aromas.

PALATE

Experience a ripe and rounded palate, brimming with intense fruit flavours of plum and cassis. Integrated fine tannins and fresh acidity provide excellent support, leading to a long and clean finish.

FOOD MATCH

Char-grilled steak accompanied by roasted vegetables, or a succulent lamb shank with red wine jus.

AWARDS

GOLD (94 POINTS) - Wine Showcase Magazine 2023 **BRONZE** - New Zealand International Wine Show 2023 **91 POINTS** - Sam Kim, Wine Orbit

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