



# HER

Wine Collection



## ONE OF HER KIND STORY

A group of black women, all working in the Cape wine industry, realised that they could combine their skillset to create a unique proposition: wine grown, made, marketed and distributed by them and only by them.

They each have a story to tell: Winemaker and General Manager Praisie Dlamini hails from KwaZulu-Natal but studied winemaking in the Cape. She has been working in the wine industry ever since. All of the team have stories of triumph. Each of them, with grit and determination, grabbed the opportunities presented, stepped out of the confinement of their circumstances, and worked their way up in the business world.

## ONE OF HER KIND WINES

HER wines are made for people who, like us, are filled with optimism and are determinedly chasing their dreams.

The bold colours and clean lines of the label speak to the confidence of a new generation of go-getter women, while the traditional African motif reminds us of our proud heritage, the x design radiating the strength of infinite possibility.

Taste HER wines and you will taste courage and joyful strength. And if you ask Praisie, she'll tell you that the HER wines' flavours evolve from a series of little dances that her heart does when all of the parts start blending together beautifully.

## PINOTAGE 2022

**Origin:** Western Cape, South Africa.

**Vineyard:** Moderate weather throughout the season, and specifically during harvest time, resulted in grapes ripening slower. This contributed to good vine growth, bunch numbers and berry sizes with a great flavour profile, creating wines of good colour extraction with low pH levels and high natural acidity, which all point to exceptional quality wine. Grapes for this wine were sourced from several vineyards both young and old which were sensitively vinified and blended to create a complex, vibrant wine.

**Winemaking:** Grapes of this wine were harvested and destemmed before alcoholic fermentation during which timed pump overs were used to further enhance colour and tannin structure. This wine was pressed before fermentation was complete to preserve fruit flavours and create a complex structure. A portion of the wines was then aged in old French barrels for subtle oak influence and the rest was matured in tank.

**Varietal:** Pinotage

**Analysis:** Alc 13.23%

**Colour:** Deep ruby red

R/ Sugar: 4.6g/l

TA 5.4g/l

pH 3.47

**Tasting Notes:** Bursting with juicy ripe red berry fruit, elevated by aromatic spicy notes, this is a wine with substance that will linger long on the palate. It contains subtle, velvety tannins that dominate the concentration of juicy fruit flavours in its medium-bodied structure.

**Food:** A wine to enjoy on its own but will also pair beautifully with a meat platter or spicy dishes.

**Ageing Potential:** A wine to be enjoyed 1-5 years from the year of vintage.