



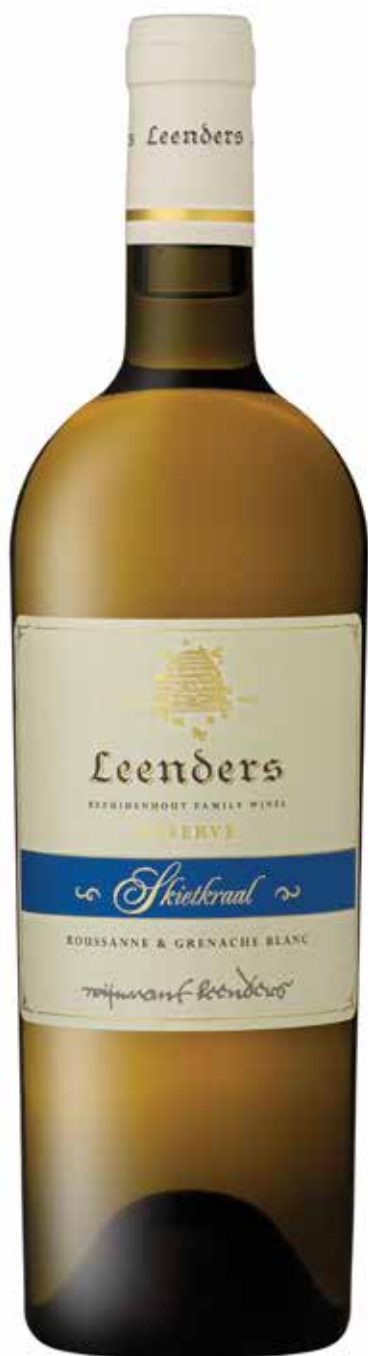
Leenders

BEZUIDENHOUT FAMILY WINES

RESERVE

Skietkraal

VINTAGE 2021



Wine description

Light yellow. Subdued nose of stonefruit, quince and pear. Pithy on the palate with a linear acidity and peach and apricot on the finish. Rich and waxy with lingering minerality. Drink now through 6 years. Serve chilled.

Vinification details

Harvested at various ripeness intervals and fermented in a combination of stainless steel tanks and concrete eggs. No oak used during fermentation or maturation. Roussanne adds richness to this blend while Grenache Blanc contributes weight and depth. Kept on the lees for 9 months before settling, filtration and bottling.

Vineyards

Dry-farmed vines in the Bredekloof are harvested early to preserve freshness and depth of character.

Vintage description

2021 was a warm and dry season producing smaller berries with enhanced flavour concentration. Warmer day-time temperatures combined with cooler night-time temperatures resulted in perfect fruit quality showing good flavour intensity and fresh acidity. This season produced a healthy and disease-free crop, resulting in wines with intense aromatics and great texture on the palate.

Varietal Blend

Roussanne forms the backbone of this white blend with Grenache Blanc to balance complexity and body.

Analysis

Alc: 13.5% RS: 3.0 g/l
TA: 6.2 g/l pH: 3.44

Wine of Origin: Bredekloof

Closure: Provino

Production: 400 x 6 x 750ml