



## **Meerlust Chardonnay 2014**

### **Producer**

Meerlust Estate

### **Wine Region**

Stellenbosch, South Africa

### **About the Winery**

The Meerlust Estate has been part of the Myburgh family for eight generations, dating back to 1756. Long recognised for producing world-class wines, the Meerlust Estate is rich in charm and history. Today, the estate is lead by Hannes Myburgh, who studied winemaking at Geisenheim in Germany and Chateau Lafite in France. Meerlust is situated 15 kilometres south of Stellenbosch. In the summertime, ocean breezes and evening mists roll in from the coasts to cool the vineyards. The grapes ripen slowly, thus achieving full and concentrated varietal flavours. The 110 hectares are planted mainly with red varieties such as Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Pinot Noir.

### **Grape Variety**

Chardonnay

### **Style**

Full-bodied, fruity, fresh

### **Tasting Notes**

Complex and pleasant on the nose with notes of quince, citrus and vibrant florals, which develop into lemon curd, oatmeal and marzipan richness. Full-bodied and generous on the palate with a crisp acidity and a long, mineral finish.

### **Drinking Window (Advisory)**

Can be cellared for up to 6 years, provided the wine is stored in ideal conditions.

### **Food Pairings**

Serve with grilled fish, pork or roast chicken.