



## 2018 Pinot Noir Rosé



The rich tapestries of passionate people interwoven with insightful curators have shaped and continue to develop Glen Carlou. A splendid storyline supports our desirable reputation of being an awarded and respected wine marque.

Our farm is situated in the Simonsberg Mountain foothills in the Paarl region of the Western Cape and encompasses a variety of slopes and aspects. Of the current 31 blocks planted, each is nurtured according to its own unique potential, respecting the natural cycles of the vines. A vineyard programme of adding five hectares per year to realise a total of 60 hectares is underway with hardier rootstocks and new varietal clonal selections being planted.

The 145 hectare property transferred back to local ownership when in 2016 Glen Carlou was purchased by a South African family consortium. Whilst the management team has remained largely unchanged, the excitement for the years ahead is driven by our new winemaker Johnnie Calitz.

Wine of Origin	Simonsberg-Paarl
Wine Analysis	Alc: 12.5%   R.S: 1.0 g/L   T.A 6.2g/L   pH 3.09
Vinification	Grapes were lightly pressed as whole bunches and underwent a cool fermentation. Reductive winemaking procedures were adhered to throughout.
Optimum Drinkability	Drink now; best within two years of vintage.
Winemaker's Tasting Note	"Red berry fruit aromas and flavours frame this light bodied wine, created for early and easy drinking. Rose petal and pink tropical fruit undertones are enjoyed on the palate, from entry to finish." Johnnie Calitz