

# Short Street Pinotage

Riebeek Cellars

South Africa - Western Cape - Coastal Region - Swartland

Situated at the very heart of South Africa's Swartland wine region, Short Street is the shortest street in the Riebeek Valley. A melting pot of creative energy, gourmet fare, farm fresh produce and the vibrant, uncomplicated lifestyle of the people, Short Street captures the essence of the Swartland, where passion, creativity and simplicity are distilled into a captivating experience.

Made in a rich, full-bodied, this Pinotage emphasizes the Pinot Noir parentage of this uniquely South African wine. Sustainably crafted from protected old bush-vine Pinotage, it offers abundant fresh cherries, ripe plums and a hint of spice and smoke with a smooth, lingering finish.

Specifications	
Appellation	Coastal Region - Swartland
Varietals	100% Pinotage
Agricultural Practices	Sustainable
Vinification	To highlight the red fruit of both parents of Pinotage, namely Pinot Noir & Cinsault, fermentation on the skins is slowed by strict temperature control. The extended fermentation period ensures maximum extraction of flavor and color, while working gently with the skins avoids astringent flavors. The wine is aged for 4 - 9 months in French oak for good integration of flavor.
Pairings	Served at room temperature, this wine is exceptionally food-friendly, enhancing enjoyment without masking food character. Especially suited to Italian dishes and smoked meats.

