



Odyssey Marlborough Pinot Noir 2022 Certified Organic

## 5.0 STARS - SAM KIM

From the Odyssey vineyard at the top of the Brancott Valley this youthful Pinot Noir shows aromas of game and olives,with fragrant violets and cherries . The palate is ripe and full with firm tannins framing the wine which will evolve over the next 5-8 years.

## VITICULTURALISTS NOTES

The Odyssey Vineyard is one of the most elevated sites in Marlborough and situated on the acclaimed Southern Valleys. Permeable silt loam over clay gives rise to these complex, dense Pinots with beautiful forest fruits and savoury flavours. Six different Dijon Clones of Pinot Noir are close planted in various sites on the vineyard, fermented separately to enhance each component ,then ultimately blended.

The vintage of 2022 was favourable in the Southern Valleys and has led to this elegantly concentrated wine with abundant fruit flavours and a sweet palate impression. Meticulous canopy management all done by hand has resulted in fruit in the best condition being delivered to the winery. Harvested 15-22

 March 2022.
 Harvest TA Level:
 Harvest PH Level:

 24.5
 6.20
 3.45

## WINEMAKERS NOTES

Once in the winery the hand picked grapes were cold macerated on skins to extract as much flavor as possible. The wines fermented spontaneously with the yeasts present on their skins. The wine was plunged by hand. After ferment the skins and wine macerated again for one week or so before being pressed to yield this darkly coloured wine. The wine was aged in French barrel 20% of which is new for 11 months before being gently fined for bottling.

 PH Level:
 TA Level:
 Alcohol Content:

 3.75
 5.4g/l
 13.5%

5.0Stars Wine Orbit.

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