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## ESTATE WINE

“Hartenberg - rated as the 3rd best Shiraz producer in the world.”

A private, family-owned estate, Hartenberg's “hands on” approach ensures consistent quality from year to year and the crafting of wines that add a dash of something special to anyone's portfolio.

First cultivating their virgin soils in 1692, Hartenberg is one of the oldest estates in the South African wine industry. By 1718, there were 10 000 vines on the property and they were producing four leggers of wine.

#### HISTORY. CHARACTER. PERSONAL CHARM

The Mackenzie family are the current owners of Hartenberg and their vision, although extremely ambitious, remains simple: “To do whatever it takes to produce wines of outstanding quality by anybody's standards. To create only what wino's call “the good stuff””.

As they say, the proof is in the pudding and Hartenberg has managed to rack up quite a selection of international awards with consistently good results.

The International Wine and Spirits Competition (IWSC), held in London each year, is regarded as the world wine industry's premier judging event. At the awards ceremony held on 30 September, Hartenberg's Merlot 2005 won the trophy for the World's Best Merlot.

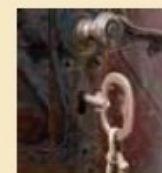
This announcement comes hot off the heels of Hartenberg's The Stork 2005 being rated the World's Third Best Shiraz at Syrah du Monde in France in May, 2009.

“Obviously we are thrilled. But, more important than winning this incredibly prestigious trophy is the fact that many of our wines are now performing consistently well on an international level. And that means we are finally beginning to realize the true potential of what I have always known this estate is capable of.” Carl Schultz – Cellarmaster.

#### WINE SPECTATOR AWARDS:

Hartenberg The Gravel Hill Shiraz 2003: 92  
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Hartenberg The Eleanor Chardonnay 2005: 90  
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Hartenberg enjoys BWI, IPW and BEE accreditations.



*Originally the Cape Town Castle's main point of entry, the oldest door in South Africa now stands guard at the entrance to Hartenberg's underground cellar.*

Owner: Hartenberg Holdings (Pty) Ltd  
Location: Stellenbosch  
Size: 170 hectares  
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