

# CITY ON A HILL – MUSCAT D'ALEXANDRIE

Western Cape



**APPELLATION:** Swartland

**BLEND:** Muscat d'Alexandrie

**WINEMAKERS:** André Bruyns

**VINEYARD:** \_\_\_\_\_

As the name of the wine suggests, City on a Hill comes from the undulating region of The Paardeberg (Horse Mountain), which divides the Paarl and Swartland. The fruit is sourced from a parcel of 35-year old dry-grown vineyards situated at an altitude of 200-350m above sea level in the Langkloof. Grown on soils of decomposed granite.

**VITICULTURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

Sit is integral to André's winemaking approach. Farming is sustainable with some organic and biodynamic practices.

**WINEMAKING:** \_\_\_\_\_

Whole bunches are left to macerate for 5 days before pressing. Juice then undergoes natural fermentation in old 300 litre oak barrels and concrete. Once fermentation is complete, the wine matures on its lees for ten months. The wine is bottled unfiltered.



**WEBSITE:** <http://www.cityonahillwine.co.za>

**This wine is suitable for vegans and vegetarians.**

## TASTING NOTES:

A classic nose, with a lovely grapey quality along with a slightly herbaceous edge. The palate is vibrant, with juicy ripe fruit, refreshing texture and a bright saline finish.