

DREA'S 2021 CABERNET FRANC - NIAGARA PENINSULA - 3G/L

A most noble wine launched for a noble cause!

"I selected the Cabernet Franc grape variety for my first classic oak-aged red wine as it was one of mine, and my father's, favourite grapes for Ontario. We both love Cabernet Franc for its bright fruit flavours and gracious acidity, a most noble variety believed to have been established in the 17th century and in the late 90's was recognized as the 'father' of the well-known Cabernet Sauvignon grape. Unlike a big cab however, Cabernet Franc wines are typically more elegant with a savoury mouthwatering taste and are a very versatile food pairing wine.

My Cabernet Franc parallels this classic style and is bone dry with rich flavours of black currant. It was aged in three barriques for just over eight months to give the wine some added complexity and soft vanilla notes and was released on December 4th in honour of Cabernet Franc Day.

While my entire wine collection is a tribute to my father's legacy in winemaking I also made this wine in honour of his commitment to education and mentorship within the wine industry. He always had an open door and loved to share his knowledge with others. He was an inspiration to young winemakers as a life-long teacher through established institutions and within his wine cellar. This legacy of learning was one that was recognized in 2017 through the establishment of the Karl J. Kaiser Memorial Fund at Brock University and so it seemed fitting that a portion of proceeds from this wine be donated to this fund each year."



Andrea (Drea) Kaiser

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