

## The King's Wrath Pinot Noir



### THE FACTS

**Producer:** Marisco Vineyards

**Winemaker:** Brent Marris

**Varietal(s):** 100% Pinot Noir

**Country:** New Zealand

**Region:** Marlborough

**Vintage:** 2021

**ABV:** 13%

**Residual Sugar:** N/A

**Case Size:** 6x75cl

**Closure:** Screwcap

**Other Varietals Available?:** Yes

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Brent Marris, Marlborough born and raised, spent years as a youngster exploring the landscape of his home region. He put that exploration to good use when, in 2003, he started his search for a vineyard property. The site he chose was 268ha of vineyards on the banks of the Waihopai River, on the southern side of the Wairau Valley. The De Marisco's descended from William de Marisco who was said to be on of 35 illegitimate children of King Henry the First. Brent created this range in homage to his royal ancestors.

### TASTING NOTE

Dark spiced fruits with attractive floral notes and a subtle hint of forest floor. Black Doris plums and dark cherries dusted with five spice, supported by some savoury complexity. Mocha and coffee notes from the oak compliment the dense fruit. The tannins are fine and velvety.

### FOOD MATCH

Perfect served with crispy roast pork belly or Chinese-style duck.

### WINE STYLE

Red

### OAK TREATMENT

100% of the wine is matured in oak casks.

### WINE SUITABILITY

**Vegetarian:** Yes

**Vegan:** Yes

**Allergens:** Sulphites