
ST. JOES RED

A THANK YOU TO
OUR AREA SETTLERS,
FRIENDS, AND
NEIGHBOURS

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With a backstory like our "St. Joes" White, but in a red, our Schatz Winery "St. Joes" Red blend is our way of saying thank you to the French-Canadian Settlers of the area who took up grape cultivation at the turn of the century, through to our friends and neighbours who do so today. Along with that, "St. Joes" Red is an ode to our little town of St. Josephs.

"St. Joes" Red is a blend of Baco Noir and Petite Pearl grapes. It hold a dark purple colour with aromas of ripe dark fruits and notes of smoke and tobacco. The palate is intense with flavours of black raspberries, plums, and elderberries with hints of coffee and dark chocolate. The tannins are soft with a richness present mid-palate.

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"RUSTY" PETITE PEARL



Baco Noir is one of the more successful hybrid varieties in North America. It is known for producing light to medium bodied wines with good acidities and a hardiness for cooler climates. Baco Noir wines typically show rich fruit tones and smoky tannins.

Petite Pearl is a newer wine making variety of grape that is also very resilient in colder climates. The juice produced is a rich, dark red garnet colour with complex flavours and aromas.



"St. Joes" Red blend is the perfect wine to be paired with our rich European dishes like Pork Schnitzel, Beef Rouladen and Goulasch. This wine is great with aged cheeses and more filling meals and is even our Hessenland Inn Restaurant house red.