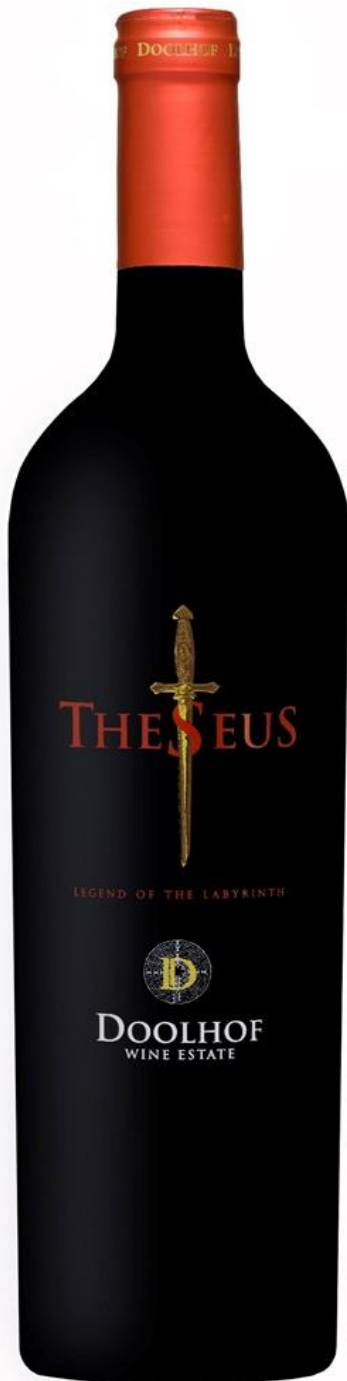




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# Legends of the Labyrinth

Theseus 2017



**Theseus, the mythical King of Athens who travelled widely in search of adventure was most famously known for the slaying of the Minotaur in the labyrinth of Crete. He was assisted by Ariadne, Dark Lady of the Labyrinth, who later married Dionysus, god of wine (Bacchus - Roman). This wine, a rich and subtle blend of three varietals, has been produced to give an intense and unforgettable experience - a true "Legend of the Labyrinth".**

**Tasting Notes:**

A classic Bordeaux blend of Merlot, Cabernet franc and Cabernet sauvignon. The nose is forthcoming with blackberry, black cherry and cassis. The palate is full and juicy with soft, fine, well integrated tannins. The wine shows great depth with a long, lingering finish.

**Winemaker's Notes:**

The wine was produced from handpicked grapes from our premier vineyards. Four pump overs were done per day, adding to colour, richness and tannins. The different grape varietals were fermented separately with extended maceration on skins after fermentation. Only the best barrels were selected for this wine. The wine was aged for 18 months in 100% new 300L French oak barrels.

**Analysis:**

Alcohol:	14.50
pH:	3.51
Total Acidity:	6.0 g/l
Residual Sugar:	2.8 g/l

**Serving Suggestion:**

A rich, full bodied blend which deserves the best cuts of meat, including Fillet Steak and Saddle of Lamb

**Chef's Special:**

Saddle of Lamb with fresh Rosemary, roast potatoes and a selection of summer vegetables.

**Awards:** Theseus 2011

Silver	Veritas Awards 2013
Silver	Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show 2014
Top Red	Quest for the Best 2014
Gold	Vitis Vinifera Awards 2016
91 points	Tim Atkin Report 2018
Silver	Concours Mondial de Bruxelles 2021

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