

# Alazani Saperavi Red 2018



## Producer

A family run winery, currently run by 2nd and 3rd generation - Simon and Daniil Nadashvili. Alazani is located in a village called Kardenakhi. Kardenakhi has a long winemaking history, every house/door had a vine growing over it and that's where the name comes from - `Kari` (door) and `Venakhi` (vine) - `Kardenakhi`. Alazani makes wines in both the traditional `qvevri` way and more modern international winemaking styles.

## Tasting Notes

Saperavi is a teinturier grape, which means that both the flesh and the skins of the grape are red, the name Saperavi translates as `to dye`. This gives the wine a rich, deep colour with a pronounced black fruit nose. The palate is round with brambles, black cherries and rich, chewy tannins.

## Food

Serve with lamb or beef dishes and can stand up to reasonably spiced dishes such as a rogan josh.

## Technical Information

|                    |                 |                           |                        |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>Country</b>     | Georgia         | <b>Dry/Sweet Style</b>    | Dry                    |
| <b>Grape(s)</b>    | Saperavi (100%) | <b>Alcohol Content</b>    | 13%                    |
| <b>Type</b>        | Red             | <b>Closure Style</b>      | Diam                   |
| <b>Style</b>       | Rich            | <b>Organic/Biodynamic</b> | No                     |
| <b>Oaked Style</b> | Unoaked         | <b>Allergens</b>          | <b>Milk:</b> No        |
| <b>Body Style</b>  | Medium bodied   |                           | <b>Egg:</b> No         |
| <b>Sustainable</b> | No              | <b>Vegetarian/Vegan</b>   | <b>Vegetarian:</b> Yes |
|                    |                 |                           | <b>Vegan:</b> Yes      |



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