

Am

St. Stephen Organic Vineyards

2018 MALBEC Reserve
Curicó Valley - CHILE

The name "Am" means "beautiful spirit" in the Mapuche language. From our vineyard to your table this wine is cultivated, harvested, and made by hand; focusing on pure, organic, and sustainable methods. Each bottle reflects all of the best things about this wonderful vineyard.



Origin: Curicó Valley, Chile.

Varietal: 100% Malbec, Single vineyard, estate grown.

Harvest: Manually harvested in April, 2018.

Winemaker: José Antonio Bravo von Bischoffshausen.

Dark, rich, volcanic soil. Flat terrain. Good drainage.
Water source is Andean snow melt. Supplied from deep well via drip irrigation.
Warm, sunny days promote ideal growth, and cool nights slow the conversion of stored sugars.

• **Production Technique:** Harvest early in the morning brings the grapes to the cellar with a low temperature, so that they can be marinated a couple of days before starting the alcoholic fermentation, which is carried out in about 14 days, with a 2-day regimen of soft, malolactic fermentation in barrels.

• This is a magnificent Malbec wine from the Curicó Valley characterized by its red-blond color. Violet notes, soft, pleasant fruit on the nose, red fruits, plum, cherry, soft, light mouth, good tannin, medium body soft with character, spicy notes like pepper but soft with tobacco leaves, berries.

Aging	6 months in French oak barrels, 50% new oak.
Analysis	Alcohol Content 13.5% by Volume
	Residual Sugar 1.87g/L
	Total Acidity (C ₄ H ₆ O ₆) 4.31 g/L
	pH 3.75
Total SO ₂ 0.067 g/L	
Bottling Date	November, 2018
Packaging	Bottle 750 ml, natural cork, bar code 856317004169
	Case 12 bottles, bar code 10856317004166



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