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With winter in full swing, the Riebeek Valley is blessed with chilly mornings turning into beautifully sunny days or misty mornings unfolding into rainy and melancholy afternoons. Whichever one you encounter on your visit, you will surely be charmed by the green season, whether you are going for a lazy afternoon stroll or relaxing in front of the fire place.

Luckily Riebeek Cellars can cater for every climatic whim. With the fresh and fruity 2006 Chenin Blanc (R17.75) or crisp 2006 Sauvignon Blanc (R21.75), lunch on the sunny stoep can be cooled down while the sultry Shirazes and tempting Cape Ruby Port (R31.75) or Red Jerepiko (R27.25) will warm up even the coldest sunset (or sunrise, whatever the case may be...)

Pick a Shiraz from Shiraz country and choose between:

- ❖ Riebeek Cellars Shiraz 2004 - upfront fruit and nuances of spice - R25.75
- ❖ Reserve Shiraz 2004 - Silver medal-winner at both the Swiss International Air Lines Wine Awards and Concours Mondial de Bruxelles 2006 - complex nose of ripe berries and smoky spices - R50.
- ❖ A Few Good Men Shiraz 2004 - Just released, it has its followers in a frenzy with its well-balanced structure of optimum fruit and French oak - R40.

Also, don't forget about the annual Riebeek Valley Shiraz & Art Weekend on 2 & 3 September when "Shiraz Country" and local artists combine to bring you a taste of the true class and quality the Valley has to offer. The final program will follow shortly, but to book your accommodation in the meantime, go to www.riebeekvalley.info For more information, call Mareli at 022-448-1213 or email mareli@riebeekcellars.co.za

Newly appointed, Christelle van Niekerk, in our tasting room is ready to introduce you to "winter wines", special offers and a lot more – like the Riebeek Pinotage 2004 selling at **R15** a bottle!! If you can't get out from under the duvet, call her at 022-448-1213 and we'll try our best to arrange a quick delivery.

