TAYLOR FLADGATE

1976 Single Harvest Tawny

94 Points



Taylor Fladgate is selling a 1976 Very Old Single Harvest Tawny Port, which is a Tawny from a single harvest, in the category known as Colheita. It was aged for a long time in oak casks, from the harvest until bottling, and slowly oxidized through the decades, almost half a century, in the cellars of Vilanova de Gaia. It has a deep amber color and a powerful and nuanced nose, with notes of brandy and hints of an Oloroso Sherry. It’s silky and has great balance between sweetness and acidity (including volatile acidity, which always plays a role in these very old wines), and it’s elegant, long and persistent. It has 20% alcohol, 5.8 grams of acidity and 139 grams

of sugar, reflecting concentration from evaporation and old age but brilliantly balanced. 5,000 bottles produced. The back label mentions it was bottled in 2025.

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