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Lindores Abbey MCDXCIV

The Lindores MCDXCIV (1494) is a single malt with no age statement, bottled at a strong 46% vol. and comes from the up-and-coming Lindores Abbey Distillery. The distillery, known for its love of experimentation, uses an interesting combination of cask types for this whisky: Bourbon, sherry and wine barrique casks provide an exciting spectrum of flavours that arouses curiosity.

TYPE	COUNTRY	REGION	DISTILLERY
Single Malt	Scotland	Lowlands	Lindores
AGE	ABV	PRICE/LITER	
NAS	46% Vol.	55.71 €/l	

TASTING NOTES

NOSE

From the first whiff, Lindores unfolds a remarkably fruity freshness. The bright fruitiness is reminiscent of juicy pears and slightly tart stewed apples. There are also classic notes of vanilla and caramel, which are reminiscent of the bourbon barrel and bring a pleasant sweetness. A subtle hint of honey and a slight floral nuance - almost like a greenhouse fragrance - lend additional depth. A hint of citrus fruit rounds off the nose and provides an invigorating touch that makes you want to take your first sip.

PALATE

On the palate, the single malt surprises with a striking change. While the nose tends to emphasise lighter fruit notes, darker and spicier flavours dominate here. Cinnamon and a slight salty note come to the fore, followed by deep caramel tones and the sweetness of dark fruits reminiscent of dried berries or plums. A light spiciness and a hint of metallic round off the profile and hint at the youthful freshness of the distillery. A creamy texture, reminiscent of soft gummy bears, gives the whisky a slightly playful, interesting mouthfeel.

FINISH

The finish is of medium length, with a subtle sharpness and a slight tingle on the tongue. The malty notes linger here in particular and leave a pleasant warmth that quickly fades.

THOUGHTS

MARCEL

This Lindores MCDXCIV is a playful single malt that delights primarily through its contrast between fruity lightness and spicy depth. For a young whisky, it offers surprisingly much character and a charming creaminess that leaves you wanting more - perfect for anyone seeking an unconventional dram with personality.

SASCHA

The Lindores MCDXCIV impresses with an interesting cask profile and a clear structure that contrasts bright fruit notes on the nose with spicy, dark flavors on the palate. Despite occasional imbalances, it demonstrates solid balance and promising potential, which should especially appeal to lovers of complex Lowland whiskies.

RATINGS

MARCEL
75/100
Very good

SASCHA
71/100
Very good

VALUE FOR MONEY
3/5
Fair

