

# Darnley's View Gin

Region: London Date Established: 2010



Darnley's View Gin, first distilled in 2010, is a hand-crafted London Dry style gin from the Wemyss family.

Darnley's View is named after the time when Mary Queen of Scots first spied her future husband, Lord Darnley, through the courtyard window at Wemyss Castle in 1565. From this marriage came a prince who later united the thrones of England and Scotland as James VI and I. We like to think of Darnley's son—conceived through a union that began at Wemyss—as a symbol of our desire to combine the best of England and Scottish distilling—to create a unique gin.

Darnley's View is a modern, yet traditionally styled London Dry gin produced just south of London. This wheat based, small batch gin is made in the time honored way of redistilling the botanicals with a four times distilled spirit in a pot still. Botanicals mix includes juniper, elderflower, lemon peel, orris root, angelica root, and coriander to produce a flavorful gin with a delicate finish.

Darnley's View Gin is well rounded, smooth and with a warm finish. It is best enjoyed neat, on the rocks or in cocktails.



- **LONDON DRY** This 6 botanical London-Dry gin is a balance of floral and herb that has a long light finish

with notes of sweeter citrus. The mild juniper notes paired with the unique flavors of the elderflower provides a soft flavor on the palate that allows the spirit to be consumed as a neat or chilled serving, but also provides a solid base spirit for traditional gin and even vodka based cocktails.

- **SPICED** made with a selection of carefully selected berries, seeds, peels and roots collectively known as botanicals. Full and rounded, with cinnamon and nutmeg, coming through strongly with juniper developing gently.



- Darnley's View Gin received a Gold Medal at the 2014 San Francisco World Spirits Competition
- Darnley's View Spiced Gin 91 points on *Planet Grape Reviews* (2016)
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