

Silent Noise



The grapes come from this awesome Shiraz vineyard at Maslin Beach about 500m from the water. The soil is clay on limestone with lumps of rock that have traces of marine fossils in them. The fruit is intensely concentrated and has really interesting fruit tannin.

I fermented the wine in a traditional open fermenter and used gentle cap management techniques. I put the pressed wine in a combination of mainly French and some (15%) American hoggies for about 24 months. I haven't fined or filtered the wine.



Immediately smoky, dark and brooding. This is a deeply perfumed elegant wine showing a multi layered nose of earthy beetroot, game, sweet citrus oil and a delicate hint of creme patisserie.

The palate is again dark and brooding with an underlying power. Complex flavours include spiced fruit compote and fruit of the forest which intertwine with a compelling combination of oak and fruit tannins producing a long finish tinged with anise.



Total Acidity g/L	6.5
Alcohol %	14.5
pH	3.45
Bottling Date	November 2016
Noisemaker	Charlie O'Brien

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