

HATCH 2024 EDEN VALLEY FLAXMAN VALLEY RIESLING



Background

Affectionately known as Hatch, after 50 years creating wines for some of Australia's most recognised labels, I have launched HATCH Wines to continue crafting beautiful, classic wines that stand the test of time.

Bringing together my winemaking skills and my love for 1920s art déco design, jazz, and refined revelry, you'll enjoy affordable luxury in every bottle.

Vineyard

Flaxman Valley is one of the Australia's classic regions for Riesling. It is a subregion of Eden Valley located almost 250 metres above the Barossa floor on the eastern slopes of the Barossa Ranges. The high altitude gives a cool climate and long ripening period that is essential for making high quality Riesling.

Winemaker Notes

The 2024 vintage at Eden Valley produced Riesling fruit with great depth of flavour and wonderful natural acidity. Cold fermentation in refrigerated stainless steel tanks was used to capture and retain the intense but delicate fruit flavours. The HATCH Flaxman Valley Riesling is floral with hints of lime and jasmine. The palate is elegant with intense fruit and fine natural acidity that is delicious now but will reward with medium to long-term cellaring. Enjoy with fresh oysters, prawns, seared scallops, salt and pepper squid and delicate Asian dishes or simply with your friends on a wonderful summer's day.

Technical Analysis:

Variety: Riesling

Vintage 2024

Region: Clare Valley, South Australia

Analysis: Alc:12%, pH:2.9, TA:7.1 g/L

Peak drinking: Fresh and young, will reward with cellaring for 10-15 years.

Scores (/100) & Awards

96 Ray Jordan Winepilot

96 Ken Gargett Winepilot

95 Dave Brookes Halliday Wine Comp

95 Mike Bennie WBM