

P R I D E + P L A C E





*In the spring of 1999,
two guys sat down
with a bottle of Australian
Shiraz and said “This is
what the world wants, how
are we going to give it
to them?”... and thus,
Two Hands was born.*

Our team embraces precision viticultural techniques. We employ ‘Massale Selection’ with new planting material: the old art of sourcing vine material from the best vines within the best vineyards, rather than sourcing clones from nurseries.

Each of our estate vineyards are cane pruned to reduce the risk of the fungus infection Eutypa Lata, and also assists the vines to survive our warm summers. Straw is spread under vines to keep the soil temperature and surface roots cool. Leading into harvest we spray all the northern sides of our canopies with Kaolin Clay to act as ‘sunburn cream’ for exposed bunches to ensure we get perfectly ripe fruit without burn or shrivel.

Our estate vineyards are pruned, trained and picked by hand to minimise tractor movements and soil compaction. In winter, cover crops are grown between the rows to promote soil vitality and our Scottish Highland cattle contribute to the 300 tonnes of organic compost we add back into our vineyards each year, in order to support the natural balance within our vines.

We are proud to be custodians of the best viticultural land within the Western Ranges of the Barossa Valley and work tirelessly to grow the best fruit year in and year out, working with the seasons to produce incredible fruit.



*“Two Hands Wines believe wine
growing is a craft, and in the
vineyards, nothing is left to chance.”*



My Two Hands Journey

I founded Two Hands in 1999 with a friend who shared a desire to make great wines and to take the best of Australian wines to the world stage.

We set out to break the mould of the large Australian companies, whose mandate is to blend the same grape varieties across multiple regions.

Our aim at Two Hands is to highlight the nuances of fruit expression of Shiraz from six prized and diverse wine growing regions across South Australia and Victoria.

The name Two Hands was inspired by the personal, artisanal and 'hands on' approach that my team and I make to the craft of wine growing.

From inception, Two Hands Wines set out to be unique and imaginative. This approach is reflected in many facets of the business, from the idiosyncratic names on the labels, to the distinctive packaging, vineyard site selection and not least, the wines themselves.

My mantra of 'quality without compromise' is at the core of each aspect of the business, and is a fundamental driver for all decisions made at Two Hands.

My first vintage was in 2000 and started with just 14 tonnes of grapes being crushed and in 2004 I built a state of the art winery in picturesque Barossa, specifically designed for small batch wine production. To maximise the individual regional and varietal characteristics and allow greater quality control, every parcel of fruit, no matter how small, is handled separately from crushing, fermentation and oak maturation.

I love what we have created at Two Hands



Michael Twitthree





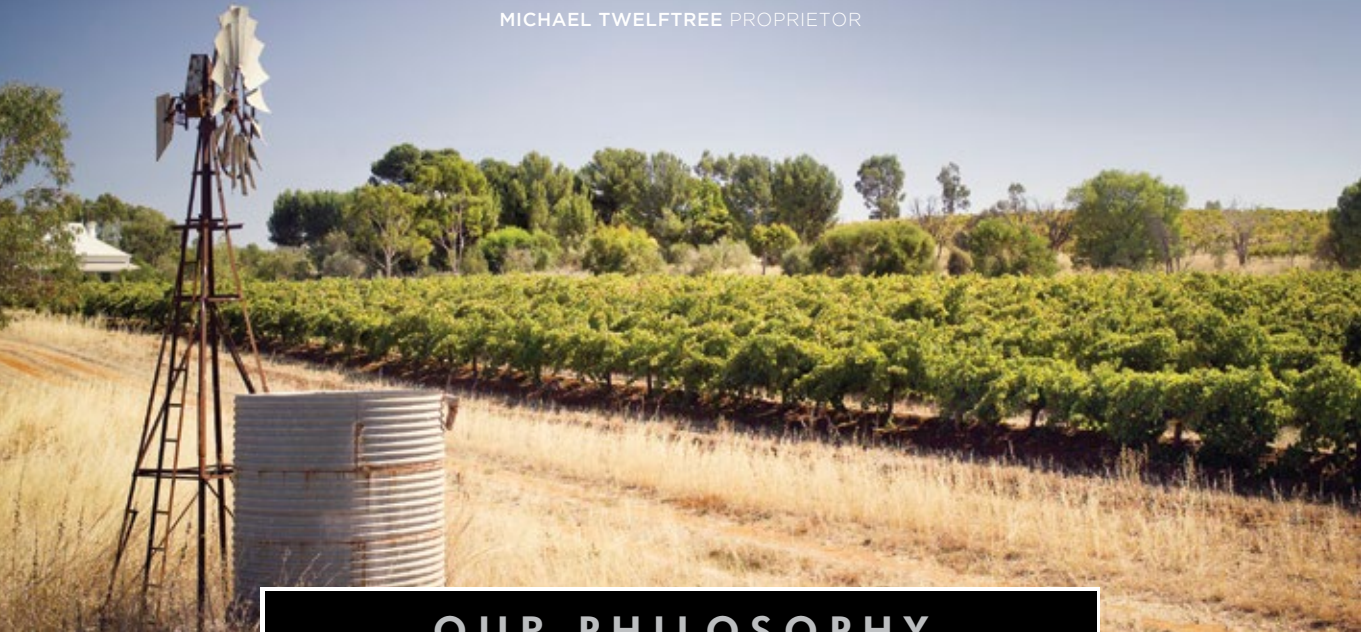
OUR PLACE

“Taste our wine, have fun with it and watch the smiles around the table grow. Warmth, vitality and generosity is the name of our game”

PIERRE - HENRI MOREL GENERAL MANAGER

*“At Two Hands Wines, we believe
in a complete team effort, where
the vineyard is our champion”*

MICHAEL TWELFTREE PROPRIETOR



OUR PHILOSOPHY

We work tirelessly in the vineyards to bring the grapes to perfect ripeness in order to express those specific individual regional fruit characters in our wines.

Our winemaking is minimalist in style: the wines go through natural malolactic fermentation in barrel and we rarely rack or move our wines. We don't employ a high percentage of new oak, as we see the oak barrel as an oxidative tool rather than a flavour enhancer.

Each barrel is tasted blind by Michael Twelftree and his team and is classified across the portfolio. This brings

consistency and allows us to celebrate vintage variation in what we believe is more of an art form than a science.

We believe our wines should bring pleasure and this drives us every day.

From relationships with growers, suppliers and customers; precision viticultural practices in Estate vineyards; hands-on picking decisions; oak selection; small batch management in the winery; to our Cellar Door Experience; Two Hands ensures that each member and each area of our organisation is motivated by passion, integrity and excellence.

FLAGSHIP SERIES

"The most complex wines are the ones that ask the most questions of you"

TRAVIS COOMBE
HEAD VITICULTURALIST

Enjoy a private tasting in our restored Bakehouse Tasting Room



Wines at the zenith of Two Hands Wines production that embody the finest selection of Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon, Grenache and Semillon crafted each vintage.

Inspired by the myths of ancient Greece the Flagship Series is headed by Ares, the bold, passionate and strong God of War, a perfect fit for the pinnacle of the Two Hands Collection.

ARES Shiraz

APHRODITE Cabernet Sauvignon

AEROPE Grenache

ADRESTIA Semillon

SINGLE VINEYARD SERIES

"When you walk a great vineyard, you look and consider a vine's architecture, the bunch configuration, you feel the soil and you immediately sense greatness"

TRAVIS COOMBE

The picturesque Yacca Block in Eden Valley



Wines that are magical expressions of unique sites that reveal the diversity of varietal and origin.

HEARTBREAK HILL

White Hut, Clare Valley, Shiraz

YACCA BLOCK

Menglers Hill, Eden Valley, Shiraz

SECRET BLOCK

Moppa Hills, Barossa Valley, Shiraz

WATERFALL BLOCK

Burnside, Adelaide, Shiraz

COACH HOUSE BLOCK

Greenock, Barossa Valley, Shiraz

HOLY GRAIL

Seppeltsfield, Barossa Valley, Shiraz

DAVE'S BLOCK

Blewitt Springs, McLaren Vale, Shiraz



PICTURE SERIES

“The best wines are the ones that are tasted subconsciously: they are enjoyed with great food, good friends & music on a long lazy afternoon”

MICHAEL TWELFTREE

Wines that deliver serious regional and varietal distinctiveness, released with idiosyncratic and whimsical labels.



THE WOLF

Clare Valley, Riesling

THE BOY

Eden Valley, Riesling

BRAVE FACES

Barossa Valley, Grenache Mourvèdre Shiraz

FIELDS OF JOY

Clare Valley, Shiraz

GNARLY DUDES

Barossa Valley, Shiraz

ANGELS' SHARE

McLaren Vale, Shiraz

SEXY BEAST

McLaren Vale, Cabernet Sauvignon

GARDEN SERIES

"When grapes are perfectly ripe, the flavours explode in your mouth and you can't stop eating the fruit"

MICHAEL TWELFTREE

Michael Twelftree tasting flavours in an Eden Valley vineyard prior to harvest



Wines from six unique Australian regions that best illustrate the complexity of Shiraz grown in contrasting terroirs

HARRIET'S GARDEN

Adelaide Hills, Shiraz

MAX'S GARDEN

Heathcote, Shiraz

CHARLIE'S GARDEN

Eden Valley, Shiraz

SAMANTHA'S GARDEN

Clare Valley, Shiraz

LILY'S GARDEN

McLaren Vale, Shiraz

BELLA'S GARDEN

Barossa Valley, Shiraz





EXPERIENCE OUR HOME

Our cellar door was opened in 2004 with the aim to provide a personal and bespoke experience.

Over the years, Two Hands has become one of the flagship cellar doors in South Australia, giving people a beautiful environment that encourages guests to learn about the intricacies of each wine at their own pace.

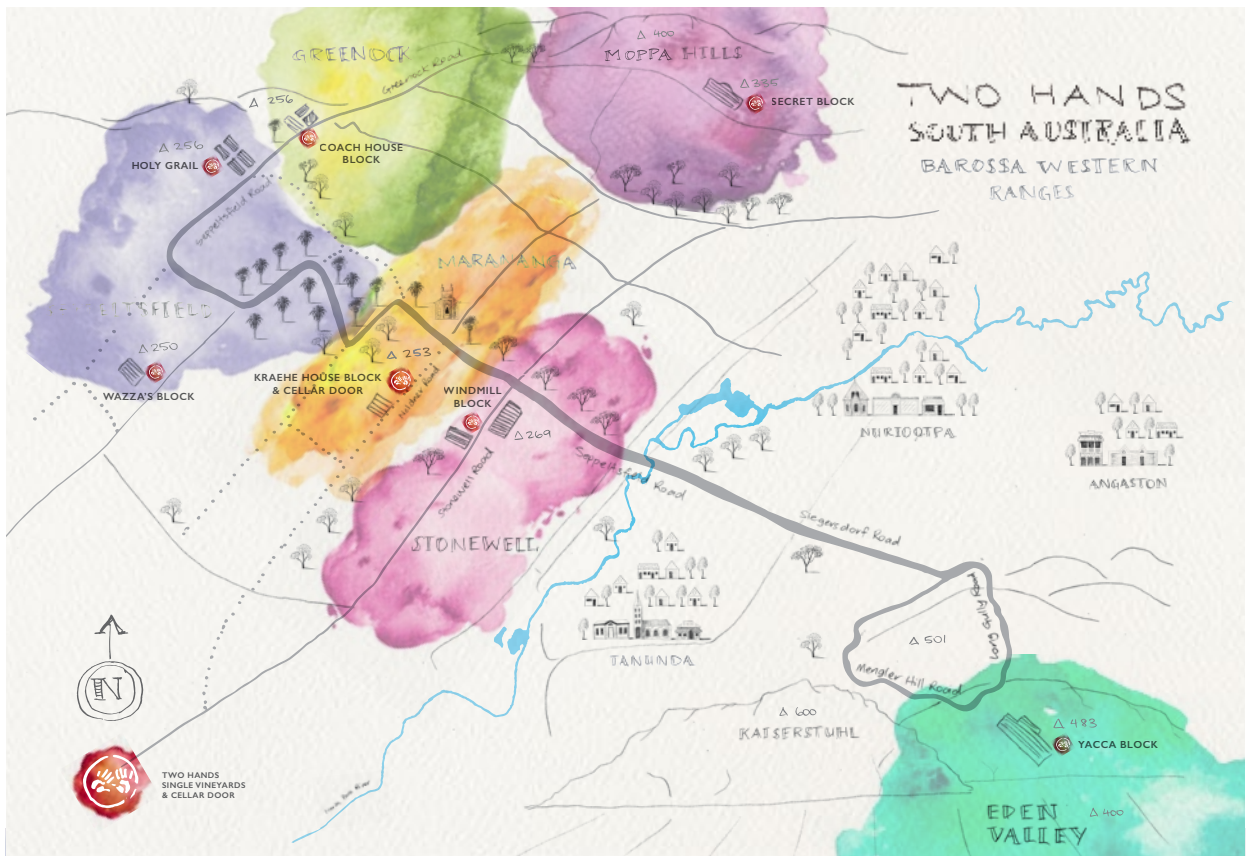
A visit to our Cellar Door begins with guests selecting an etched Two Hands wine glass and are invited to discover all that is on offer in a hand-crafted leather bound guide. The Cellar Door offers a guided tasting of a selection of eight wines from the Picture Series to our Flagship Series collections, as well as grazing platters, private tastings, luxury vineyard and winery tours by appointment.

OUR VINEYARD EXPERIENCES

At Two Hands we love an adventure, so we tailored one especially for our guests. In 2016, after experiencing a private safari at Kruger National Park in South Africa, Michael dreamed of offering something similar.

We purchased our own 4WD Land Rover Defenders to offer our visitors the chance to get up close and personal in our best vineyard sites and in our Marananga winery. The aim of our tours is to demystify viticulture and the winemaking process. From the hedonistic heights of 'Yacca Block' in Eden Valley to our 'Secret Block' in Moppa Hills and our 'Holy Grail' vineyard in Seppeltsfield, we invite guests to taste the wines produced from these stunning vineyards whilst standing amongst the vines.

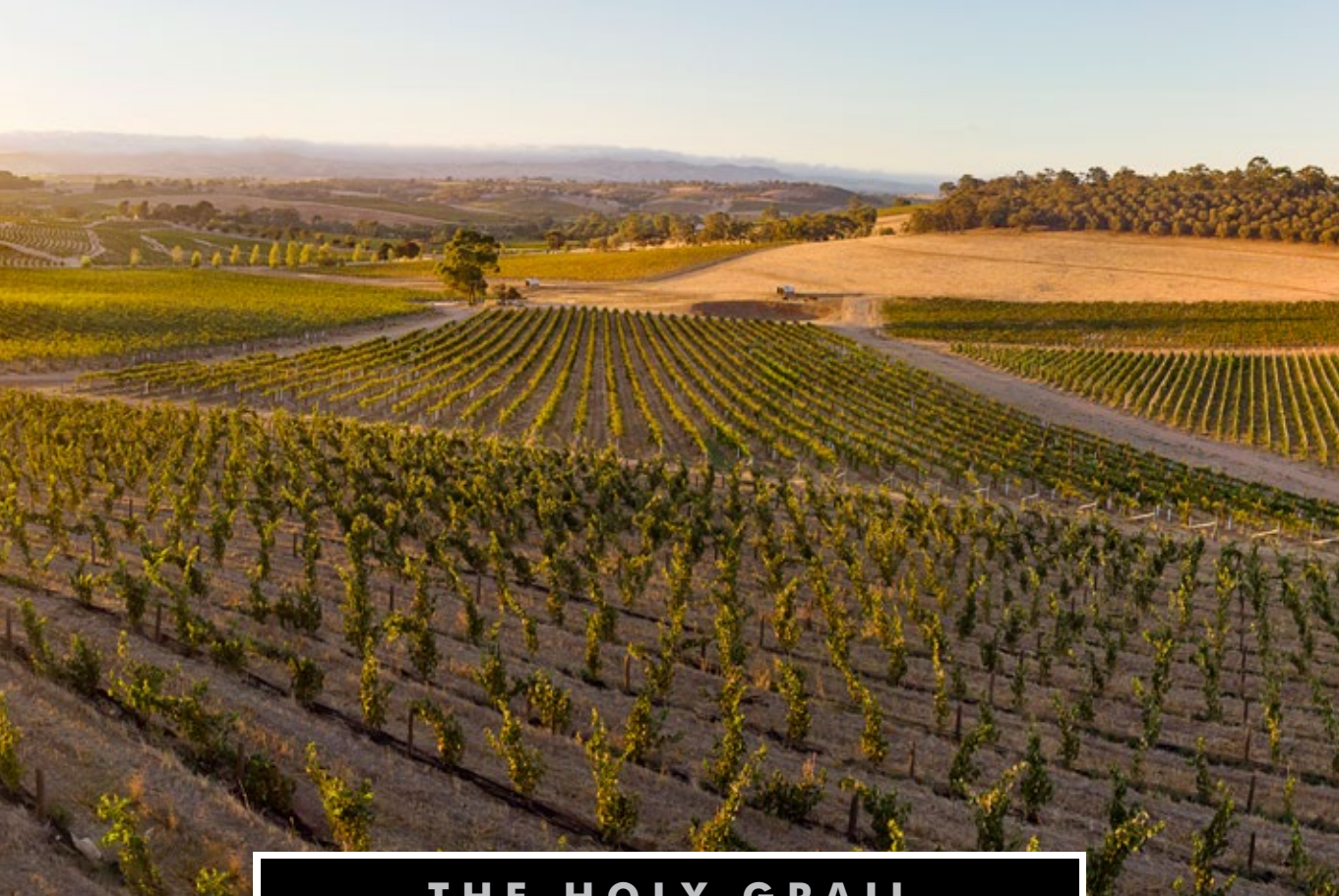
As part of the Flagship Experience, we offer a delicious and bespoke meal in our historic Bakehouse Tasting Room crafted by our chef matched with our Flagship Series collection.



*"I want you to experience the journey from
vine to glass, by giving you the opportunity
to walk the vineyards with us"...*

MICHAEL TWELFTREE





THE HOLY GRAIL

“The greatest vineyard sites are born from the soil profile, aspect and sunlight”

MICHAEL TWELFTREE

The jewel in the Two Hands crown is the ‘Holy Grail’ Estate vineyard.

A chance discovery provided Michael with the opportunity to consolidate our vineyard holdings on Seppeltsfield Road, the iconic gateway to the Western Ranges of the Barossa Valley.

The philosophy applied to our estate vineyards is inspired by a seminal French producer from Rhone Valley - to not own every vineyard, but to own the best. Time, patience, extensive soil studies and viticultural research have allowed our

team to establish what we aspire to be, one of the ultimate vineyards of Barossa.

Holy Grail is veritable viticulturist’s dream. The vineyard is planted to 22 individual blocks, each with its own unique micro-climate with specific clone, variety, row-orientation and trellis system planned in minute detail to ensure the absolute best quality wine is produced. Despite its rich red-brown earth and perfect eastern sloping aspect, nothing is left to chance when it comes to the Holy Grail.

"In our 20th year, we're proud to employ 20 full time staff; be exported to 65 countries; crush 12 different varietals; source fruit from 6 major Australian regions and have two state of the art wineries. We value relationships with growers and enjoy 97 acres of our own estate vineyards. Most importantly, our journey has been a magical ride that we will enjoy for many years to come."



BLOCK 05 - VOGUE
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 03 - COLIN MOREY
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 06 - JANASSE
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 07 - MUGNERET-GIBOURG
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 20 - BONEY'S BLOCK
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 14 - CLAVELIER
GRENACHE

BLOCK 15 - ROUMIER
MATARO

BLOCK 16 - ST COSME
SHIRAZ

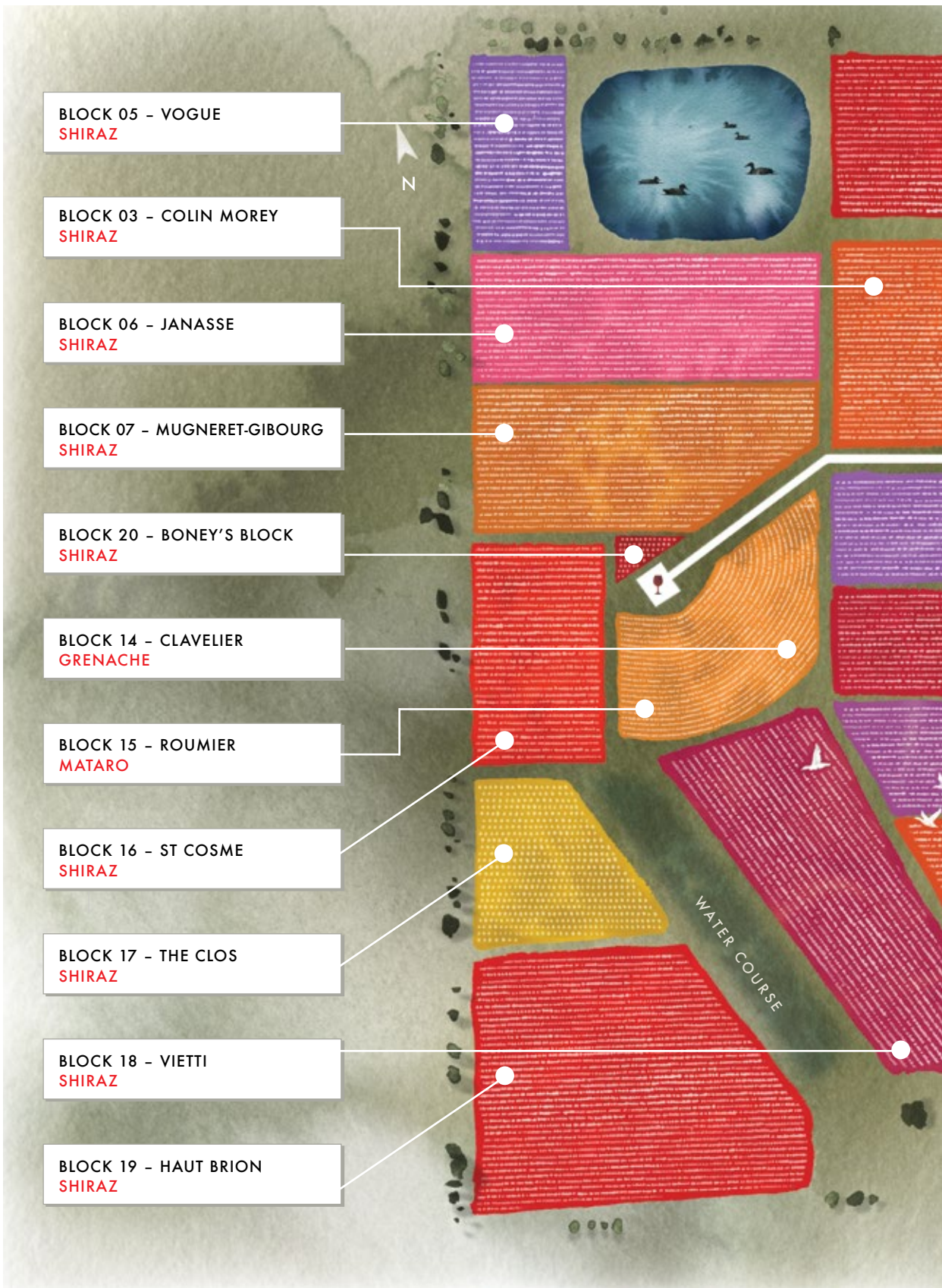
BLOCK 17 - THE CLOS
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 18 - VIETTI
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 19 - HAUT BRION
SHIRAZ

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WATER COURSE





BLOCK 01 – GIACOSA
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 02 – MARCOUX
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 2A – HARLAN
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 04 – CLAPE
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 4A – JAMET
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 08 – OGIER
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 09 – RAVENEAU
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 10 – CHAVE
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 11 – CLERICO
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 12 – GRIVOT
SHIRAZ

BLOCK 13
VIEUX CHATEAU CERTAN
CABERNET SAUVIGNON

THE HOLY GRAIL VINEYARD

“All our vineyard blocks are named after
wineries that have inspired me”

MICHAEL TWELFTREE

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