



2018 Cirillo Single Vineyard Barossa Shiraz



Deep, savoury and black fruited aromatics sit above an array of satsuma and prunes laced with rusty iron and coal dust.

The palate is saturated with powerful and intense flavours. Satsuma and cinnamon spice to the fore, with sufficient maturation character to soften the mouthfeel without any display of overt oak. This is a contemplative wine; one feels compelled to linger over every delicious mouthful. Again, a careful avoidance of sweet fruit character makes for a great wine to accompany a wide range of richer meats and hard cheeses.

- Words by Grant Dickon

The Cirillo Shiraz is made with grapes sourced from high altitude vines from Steingarten on the border of Barossa and Eden Valley ranges.

With open fermentation, natural yeast, basket pressed and then matured in seasoned French and American oak for 12 months.

The colour is dark, ink-like in appearance. It displays earthy spice driven aromas, with hints of berry fruits. Soft and delicate on the palate, typical of shiraz from this region.

It carries mid-palate weight, with a lengthy finish that lingers in the mouth for some time. This wine can be enjoyed now or over the next decade or two.

Varieties: Shiraz
 Alcohol: 14 % alc/vol
 Total Acidity: 6.1 gms/l
 Residual Sugar: 0.04 gms/l
 pH: 3.3

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