The Old Legend Grenache 2020

2025 CELLAR RELEASE

Grenache wines of various styles and blends have been produced in the Barossa for over 150 years. The 'Old Legend' pays homage to the Barossa Grenache, allowing the natural style of this varietal to shine. Light yet vibrant in colour with pretty yet complex aromas and an elegant yet textural palate.



Variety | Blend

100% Grenache

Pre-Vintage

Rainfall: Average Winter rainfall | Dry conditions from Spring through to Summer

Temperature: High winds at flowering | Hot late spring and early summer leading to average summer temperatures

Upshot: Inconsistent flowering and fruit set | Low crops

Vintage

Rainfall: Early February rain event | Dry otherwise

Temperature: Warm days and cool nights

Upshot: Consistent ripening conditions | Perfect extended flavour development | High natural acid | Intense flavours and vibrancy of fruit

Vineyard

E-Block: Very shallow red clay loam overlying shattered limestone | North-south oriented rows | Elevated eastern aspect

Upshot: Reduced natural vine vigour | Intense and vibrant flavour profile

Winemaking

Fermentation: 20% Whole bunch ferment | 55% Extended maceration for 60 days

Oak: French - 100% old | Natural malolactic fermentation | 8 months maturation

Tech. Analysis: Alcohol - 14.5% | pH - 3.47 | Acid - 6.0g/L | RS - <1.0g/L

Noteworthy Dates

Harvested: 29th February - 15th March 2020 | Bottled: November 2020 | Released: October 2021

Sensorial Information

Profile: Strawberry | Raspberry | Mixed berry basket | Rose petal | Leather | Cigar box

Texture: Medium-bodied | Complex & textural

Characteristics

Animal: Jackson's Chameleon Vehicle: Bentley Flying Spur

Musical: Violin



