

J O H N
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2016 ELIGO SHIRAZ

REVIEWS

98 points, James Halliday, 2020 Wine Companion, August 2019

The tannins and oak are built into this wine like a checkerboard table created by a master craftsman with decades of experience. Like John Duval.

95 points, Campbell Mattinson, Wine Front, July 2019

It wraps its arms around you. And holds you tight. It's a dark, substantial red, chocolatey, blackberried, licorice-y, wafted with iodine, gently coffeed. Tannin has its own motor; it churns away in the background, its wake trailing behind. This has 'cellarworthy' written all over it.

95 points, Josh Reynolds, Vinous, October 2020

Deep, violet colour. Expansive, spice accented blackberry, cherry-vanilla, licorice and exotic spice qualities on the nose. Fleshy and appealing sweet, offering concentrated red and dark fruit preserve flavours that pick up cola, star anise and mocha notes as the wine opens up. Becomes livelier with aeration and finishes on a repeating berry note with well-knit tannins and impressive length.



John and Tim Duval

