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2024 RESERVE SHIRAZ GRENACHE

REVIEWS

94 pts

"Few people in the world have the experience of working with old vine Barossa Valley Shiraz and Grenache to compete with that of John Duval. In fairness, his years as chief winemaker for Penfolds, including making the fabled Grange, give him an advantage that is hard to match. For this wine, Shiraz was sourced from vineyards in the sub-region of Krondorf and also the Eden Valley. The Grenache hails from a century old vineyard in Tanunda, as well as from vines from the Moppa sub-region. The blend is 63% Shiraz and 37% Grenache. A small percentage of Grenache was incorporated as whole berries. Maturation was for fifteen months in French oak hogsheads, which included 5% new oak.

Blood red/maroon in colour, the nose offers a wonderful array of aromas including cassis, beetroot, mulberries, raspberries, bay leaves, chocolate, cloves and coffee beans. The wine is juicy and delicious and very much more-ish. It has balance and length with very fine tannins on the lingering finish. Love it. Ten to fifteen years with ease." **Ken Gargett, Wine Pilot January 2026**



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