



Matthew's Road

Single Vineyard Shiraz

2011

Heritage

Château Tanunda was established in 1890 and is the site of the very first vines planted in the Barossa in the 1840s. 'The Château' is a heritage icon, the grand buildings, magnificent gardens and vineyards are owned by the Geber family who continue the century old tradition of fine winemaking.

Vineyard

Fruit for the Matthews Road Shiraz comes from our cool climate, high altitude vineyard at the heart of the Barossa's Eden Valley sub-region.

Winemaking

The grapes were destemmed, but not crushed, and spent seven days on their skins in open fermenters to more gently extract colour, flavours and tannins. Regular pump overs prior to careful basket-pressing have made a medium-bodied wine.

Tasting note

This wine displays lifted aromas of blackberry, blueberry and white pepper supported by spicy, dark berry fruits on the palate.

The extensive finish is framed by elegant, fine-grained tannins from sixteen months' maturation in a combination of new and seasoned American and French oak barrels.

Awards & Ratings

4 Stars ☆☆☆☆

Top 100 Wines

88/100

Bronze

Tony Love Herald Sun August 2012

Adelaide Review October 2012

Wine Front

IWSC 2012

Analysis

pH 3.53

Cellar Time

7 - 10 years

Oak (Age & Type)

American & French oak barriques & hogsheads.

TA 6.96g/L

Bottled under

Stelvin

Winemaker

Stuart Bourne

RS 1.5g/L

Alc. 14.0%



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