

PILLAR BOX RESERVE SHIRAZ 2009



Description:

The 2009 Pillar Box Reserve has dark inky color and bright purple edges. It was selected from the best parcels of Shiraz and is a rich and densely concentrated wine. Intense blackcurrant aromas combine with toasted spice and graphite minerality to give a complex and lifted bouquet. The palate is fleshy at the start; showing ripe plum and blackcurrant fruits, then building in the mid palate with graphite, cedar toast and Indian marsala spice characters. The tannins are fine and velvety, leading into a refined and gratifying finish.

Winemaker's Notes:

The best parcels of Shiraz were selected from the Pillar Box Red project to create this special wine. The vines are grown on a variety of soil types, including red loam, black loam and deep sand over limestone. This wine has a higher percentage of pressings fraction; which contributes to the concentration and long fine tannin structure of the wine. The Pillar Box Reserve was matured using 85% French and 15% American oak for a period of 4 months.

Serving Hints:

This wine is ideally served at room temperature with barbequed ribs or foods with a little spice (such as Moroccan style food).

PRODUCER: Henry's Drive Vignerons
COUNTRY: Australia
REGION: Padthaway
GRAPE VARIETY: 100% Shiraz

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Pack	Size	Alc%	lbs	L	W	H	Pallet	UPC
12	750	15%	35.27	12.16	9.09	12.2	4X14	6 7970500042 6

