

2005 Cabernet Sauvignon
'The Blacksmith'

Barossa Cabernet Sauvignon, the unsung hero that use to be King.

The story behind the name

In 1843, a 32 year old Blacksmith, Christian Auricht, arrived from Prussia with his wife and four children. He settled in the new hamlet of Langmeil and built a blacksmith, around which grew the trading centre of the village, eventually becoming the Langmeil Winery estate.

The artisan of iron has now made way for the new craftsman who has blended the oldest of Barossa traditions to forge this spectacular wine. Our Cabernet Sauvignon the unsung hero of Barossa wine, has been matured in new (20%) and seasoned (80%) French Oak for two years, achieving the structure, depth and balance expected from this premium Australian grape growing region.

Colour: Very deep red crimson.

**Nose**: Juicy black and red currant with hints of black olive, cassis and marzipan fill the nostrils, complimented with French oak characters of cedar and biscuity vanilla.

**Palate**: A rich, fruitful, full mouth feel of black currant, blackberries and cassis is complimented by the sweetness of the French oak influence and the finish is long and spicy and youthfully austere.

## **Bottling Analysis**

Alcohol: 14.9%

TA: 6.66 g/l
pH: 3.51

VA: 0.71 g/l
Residual Sugar: 2.0 g/l

