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2001 Barossa Grenache 'The Fifth Wave'

Fruit sourced from our own "Jackaman's" 60 year old Lyndoch vineyard, dry grown low yielding and extremely intense, as well as fruit from a brilliant 80 year old patch of bush vines belonging to one of our growers Wally Krieg, is blended to produce this amazing, bold and complex wine.

The 2001 vintage suited these vineyards to a tee producing deep, dark, powerful wine which, after two years maturation in one and two year old American and French oak hogsheads and barriques, has developed into an intense cherries and chocolate wine with nuances of earthy spice and the typical, chalky Grenache tannin finish.

Like 'The Freedom' Shiraz, 'The Fifth Wave' Grenache is made using minimal handling techniques and is bottled after careful racking without fining or filtration.

Colour: Deep Crimson.

Aroma: Lifted red cherry, raspberry fruits and fine chocolate with hints of white pepper, menthol and game.

Palate: The complexities of the aroma flow to the full palate with berry fruits and chocolates being the dominant flavours. The finish is long and fruitful with typical chalky Grenache tannins.

Bottling Analysis:

Alcohol Volume 15.5%
TA 6.49 g/l
PH 3.33
VA 0.56 g/l

Residual Sugar 1.9 g/l Barrel Time 24 Months

Barrel Selection 100% 2 year Old French and American Oak

