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2019 Bowen Estate Shiraz

Region: Coonawarra, South Australia

Variety: Shiraz 100%

Estate grown and hand pruned

Vintage:

The picking of the 2019 grapes was in timing with the long term average. Our Chardonnay was picked on the 7th March 2019 and the red grapes were picked between 1st and 19th April. Leading into vintage the ideal diurnal temperature conditions nurtured full flavour development, optimum sugar levels and strong natural acidity levels. Whilst we did experience some warmth during the growing season, the healthy vine canopies coped well, aided by monitored applications of water and the prevailing Southern Ocean breezes. We are very excited about the quality of wine produces from the 2019 vintage growing season.

Wine:

Bright ruby jewel colours entice the drinker. Juicy grape -plum characters enhance the aroma enticing the drinker with beguiling fruit characters that leap out of the glass. The sweet supple well-rounded palate is an excellent example of our Shiraz from a fine vintage. This wine is an excellent representation of our style; rich fruit characters balanced well with supportive tannins ensuring the wine is very easily drunk whilst young but still one for the cellar.

Drink: Over the next 5 - 7 years.

The Bowen Family is proud to guarantee the origin of this wine. All grapes used are grown and harvested from our sustainably grown vineyards located on Coonawarra's famous terra rossa soil.