

DEEN

Deen De Bortoli was a true visionary in the Australian wine industry, whose mission was to create quality wine for everyone to enjoy. The 'DEEN' range is a true reflection of his pursuit and a great tribute to Deen himself. Our Father, everybody's Deen.



DEEN SHIRAZ 2019

Season

2019 saw late spring rains allowing the vines to prosper following a relatively dry winter. Lower than average yields and a significantly earlier harvest allowed for good varietal flavour development and balanced acid.

Tasting Note

Intense red with a bright purple edge. Aromas of ripe plum, blue fruits, dark choc and hints of cedar. The concentrated yet supple palate shows more blue fruits, rich dark chocolate, hints of spice and elegantly structured tannins.

Wine Style

A full bodied dry red.

Suggested Cuisine

Enjoy with Minted Lamb in Red Wine Sauce, a spicy lentil dish or with an array of lovely mature cheeses.

Additional Information

Vegan, Vegetarian

Winemaking

Vineyards are carefully monitored to be able to harvest the fruit at optimum flavour ripeness and balanced acidity. Harvest is carried out in the cool of the morning. Fruit is then carefully destemmed into Potters and fermented at 25-30°C over 7-8 days. Pressed, racked and matured in new and older Hogshead barrels for 12 months. 40% was kept in tank to retain those lovely fruits to blend with the oak matured portions.

Wine Analysis

Alc/Vol: 14.5%, pH: 3.59, TA: 6.60g/L

Cellaring

Ready for immediate enjoyment and with good cellaring will continue to evolve over the next 7-10 years.

Winemaker

Roberto Delgado