

TASTING NOTES



B & W Wines

TWO HANDS LILY'S GARDEN SHIRAZ, 2015

BACKGROUND

THE 'TWO HANDS' ARE MICHAEL TWELFTREE AND RICHARD MINTZ WHO FORMED TWO HANDS WINES IN 1999 WITH THE CLEAR OBJECTIVE OF MAKING THE BEST POSSIBLE SHIRAZ BASED WINES FROM PRIZED SHIRAZ PRODUCING REGIONS WITHIN AUSTRALIA. FROM THE BEGINNING THE WINES WERE VERY WELL RECEIVED AT HOME AND ABROAD WITH A HEALTHY STREAM OF REVIEWS, CULMINATING IN 2004 WITH ROBERT M. PARKER PRONOUNCING TWO HANDS AS "THE FINEST NEGOCIANT OPERATION SOUTH OF THE EQUATOR".

SINCE THE WINERY OPENED, TWO HANDS SUCCESS HAS GONE FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH WITH NUMEROUS ACCOLADES DEFINING THE CULTURE OF THE ORGANIZATION. IN ONLY THEIR 11TH VINTAGE, TWO HANDS CREATED HISTORY BY PLACING IN WINE SPECTATOR'S ANNUAL TOP 100 WINES TEN YEARS IN A ROW - AN ASTOUNDING ACHIEVEMENT THAT HAS NEVER BEEN EQUALED BY ANY OTHER WINERY WORLD-WIDE. CONSISTENT 90+ REVIEWS FROM ROBERT PARKER JNR'S WINE ADVOCATE, STEPHEN TANZER'S INTERNATIONAL WINE CELLAR, JAMES HALLIDAY'S WINE COMPANION, WINE SPECTATOR AND THE UK DECANTER MAGAZINE IS FURTHER TESTAMENT TO THE COMPANY'S ABILITY TO CAPTURE THE TERROIR OF EACH VINEYARD AND CAREFULLY NURTURE THE CHARACTERISTICS OF EACH PARCEL. NOT SURPRISINGLY, TWO HANDS HAS COME TO BE REGARDED AS ONE OF AUSTRALIA'S THE MOST PRESTIGIOUS ESTATES.

REVIEWS

94 POINTS. MARY-ANN WOROBIEC (WINE SPECTATOR MAGAZINE):

"THIS EXUBERANT RED BURSTS WITH FLAVORS OF CLOVE, TOASTED COCONUT AND DARK CHOCOLATE THAT ARE THICK AND VELVETY, COMPLEMENTING THE KIRSCH NOTES AT THE CORE, WITH A HINT OF FRESH MINT ADDING COMPLEXITY. THIS IS GENEROUS, WITH A FINISH THAT GOES ON AND ON. DRINK NOW THROUGH 2027. 2,400 CASES MADE. "



VINTAGE: 2015

WINERY: TWO HANDS ([HTTP://WWW.TWOHANDSWINES.COM](http://www.twohandswines.com))

REGION: MCLAREN VALE

AVAILABILITY: AVAILABLE NOW IN CONSIGNMENT

CASE QUANTITY: 6 BOTTLES PER CASE

BOTTLE SIZE: 750 ML

COMPOSITION: SHIRAZ / SYRAH (100%)



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