

THE BROTHERS SHIRAZ 2017

THE GRAPES

Shiraz from our Rutherglen vineyard.

Breat wine does take time, and The Brothers Shiraz has certainly taken a long time in the making. Tended by hand from vine to barrel to bottle, this is the pinnacle of our endeavours and the ultimate expression of Rutherglen Shiraz.

- Julie Campbell

TASTING NOTES

Colour Deep red with an aged brick rim.

Bouquet A mature nose of black plums, coffee

highlights and lightly charred French

oak

Palate Full bodied and velvety smooth with

concentrated black plum fruit, nutty oak, coffee character and a touch of earth and spice. The fine grippy tannins providing wonderful balance and length. An aged wine whose raw powerful youth has given way to a

more restrained and elegant maturity.

Serving Try alongside a tender rib eye steak Suggestions with green peppercorn sauce.

Cellaring This complex, structured wine shows

the benefits of extended time in oak and in our cellars and is ready for you

to enjoy now.

Date tasted December 2023



PRODUCTION

Alc. 14.5% T.A. 6.4g/l pH 3.48

This vintage of The Brothers Shiraz has undergone extended maturation in both barrel and bottle prior to release. This time has allowed the fruit, oak and tannins to fully integrate and deliver a truly memorable Rutherglen Shiraz.

After fermentation for ten days using closed fermenters, the wine was aged in French oak puncheons for a period of 2.5 years.