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2024 Singlefile Single Vineyard Frankland River Clément V

RIVERSDALE VINEYARD FRANKLAND RIVER, GREAT SOUTHERN

Vineyard & Winemaking

The Southern Rhône region of Châteauneuf du Pape is a significant wine region of the world and Singlefile's Clément V is our salute to the role this 'Avignon Pope' played in establishing the viticulture and wine style of this region. This wine is a blend of the classic Châteauneuf-du-Pape varieties of grenache, syrah (Rhône clones 877 and 470 originally from Hermitage) and mataro (also known as mourvèdre).

All three of these varieties are grown in the Riversdale vineyard, Frankland River. The 2024 fruit was picked on 26 March and 2 April 2024, with varietal batches kept separate throughout. The fruit was sorted and cold soaked in small fermenters for two days, before undergoing an extended and gentle maceration.

Approximately twenty five percent of the wine was matured in new oak barriques, the balance going to two- and three-year-old barriques for eleven months before the varietal blending, settling and preparation for bottling.

The Wine

The 2024 vintage of the Clément V is mataro (58%), grenache (21%) and shiraz (21%). The wine has alluring aromatics of plum and soft dark florals, supported by savoury 'game' elements and subtle smokiness. The palate is plush and juicy, offering flavours of black cherry, plum and berry jam with notes of peppery spice and leather. Smoothly textured with fine-grained, chewy tannins, this is a medium bodied red wine that is well suited to be enjoyed with food. In its youth, we suggest decanting to best reveal the wine's character.

New Release

Technical Specifications

Alc: 14.0% pH: 3.62 TA: 5.2 g/L Cellaring: 15+ years

