



Gumpara Wines

Barossa Valley, Australia

Family Owned Premium
Barossa Valley Vineyards
For Six Generations

TASTING NOTES

2016 VICTOR'S OLD VINE SHIRAZ

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| PRODUCT | Victor's Old Vine Shiraz |
| VINTAGE | 2016 |
| APPELLATION | Barossa Valley |
| VARIETY | 100% Shiraz |
| HARVEST DATE | 16th February 2016 |
| BOTTLING DATE | 8th February 2017 |
| ALCOHOL | 15% |
| TA | 6.9 |
| PH | 3.46 |

VITICULTURE

Made from 100% Barossa Valley Shiraz from fifty year old dry grown vines. Each year, this single vineyard receives special attention. Traditional hand pruning methods are applied, the fruit is harvested at what is considered to be optimal ripeness and flavour in accordance to terrior, soil type and micro climate.

VINIFICATION

Crushed and de-stemmed into open fermenters, with fermentation temperature controlled at 25o C. Must is pumped over each day. Free run is removed from skins and gently pressed via airbag batch press, with free run and pressings reblended prior to molactic fermentation.

MATURATION

12 months in French and American oak hogsheads.

COMMENTS

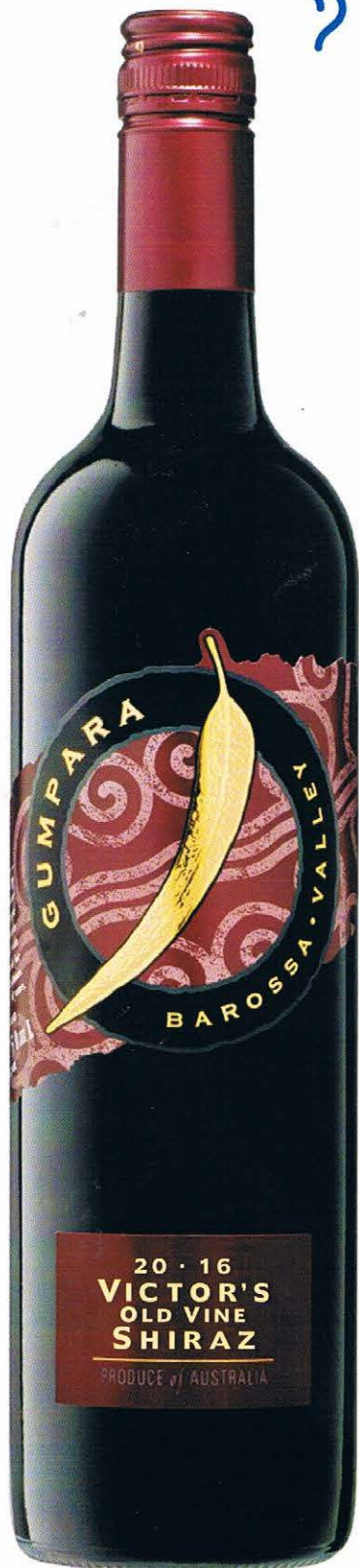
The Gumpara vineyards have been owned and tended by the Mader family for six generations.

The 2016 Barossa Vintage was a standout. Warm and dry spring conditions, allowed for good flowering and fruit set. A chance 30mm rain event in January, followed by mild conditions throughout February, gave rise to early flavour development. Phenology kept pace with sugar levels resulting in rich ripe tannins.

This wine is deep in colour with flavours of blackberry, mulberry, plum conserve, pepper spice and mint, layered with mocha chocolate and cashew nut oak.

CELLARING

Drink now or benefit from careful cellaring well into the next decade.



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