



Geyer Wine Co.

'Sands'

Grenache

Barossa Valley - Australia 2016

Dave Geyer is a minimal intervention wine producer from the Barossa Valley. In an ode to ancestry, but with eyes fixed firmly on the future, he revives and nurtures the neglected vineyards of the region to produce honest, innovative and thoroughly delicious wines – an artful convergence of heritage and heresy.

A young upstart but an old soul, Geyer upsets the establishment yet appeases the palate through an emphasis on quality fruit, minimal intervention, handcrafted production and a connection to all stages of the winemaking process. The result is individual, unpretentious and interesting wines that reflect the personality of their provenance and a commitment to quality.

The Grenache grapes for the 'Sands' are hand harvested from 85+ year old ancient bush vines grown on the river sands of Vine Vale. The juice undergoes 50% whole bunch fermentation and is hand plunged with zero additions. It is gently basket pressed, aged in old neutral oak barrels, then hand bottled without sulphur. The final product is super expressive, unique and delicious.

Composition

100% Grenache

Soil Type

Alluvial Sands

Vine Age

85+ years old

Élevage

6 months in neutral French oak

Yields

2 tons per acre

Production

100 cases

Tasting Notes

“ Highly aromatic, with strong hints of green herbs, wood and stewed berries. The weight has soft and delicate tannins, firm acid and good length of flavor. Other notes include mint, soft berries and green twigs. A slight chill and decant are recommended. ”

Reviews

No Reviews

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