



2007 d'ARENBERG VINTAGE FORTIFIED SHIRAZ

Review Summary



91 pts “Dark purple. Pungent, intensely perfumed aromas of black and blue fruits, cherry compote, cola, licorice and an exotic touch of apricot. Lush, palate-coating cassis and boysenberry flavors show serious depth and sweetness, with molasses and candied violet notes adding complexity. Surprisingly energetic for a sweet wine, finishing with impressive thrust and lingering florality.”

Josh Raynolds
Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar
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90 pts “Made from 100% Shiraz, the 2007 The Vintage Fortified Shiraz gives a very deep garnet-black color and is intensely scented of warm plums, blackberry and black cherry compote, black olives and salami with hints of chocolate and licorice. Very full, rich and concentrated, it gives a good backbone of crisp acidity and firm, chewy tannins, finishing long with some notes of the brandy poking through. Drink it now to 2019+.”

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