



2011 d'ARENBERG THE IRONSTONE PRESSINGS

Review Summary



95 pts “Black velvet, sexy black velvet, I say no more if you have the imagination you will understand if not don’t buy. It’s an easy 95 points...”

Tony Keys
The Key Report
2016

92 pts “The color is remarkable for an ‘11 vintage wine, as is its freshness; savory/spicy/earthy notes dominate, no bad thing in themselves.”

James Halliday
Australian Wine Companion
2016

90 pts “Saturated ruby. Smoke-accented aromas of cassis, cherry and licorice, with a suave floral nuance building in the glass. Appealingly sweet and expressive, offering energetic dark berry and rose pastille flavors and a touch of spicecake. Shows very good focus and thrust on a long, sappy finish framed by harmonious tannins. This suave wine is drinking very nicely right now.”

Josh Raynolds
Vinous
March 2016

90 pts “A whiff of smoke and sandalwood adds an aromatic air to the black cherry and plum flavors, finishing with fine-grained tannins and a mix of cumin and chile powder notes on the finish. Grenache, Shiraz and Mourvèdre.”

MaryAnn Worobiec
WineSpectator.com
2016