



2007 d'ARENBERG THE MONEY SPIDER Review Summary



93 pts “Although best known for its red Rhone-ish varieties, the white siblings shouldn’t be overlooked, here a straight roussanne lifts out of the glass with honeysuckle florals and honey aromas realising more complexity in the mouth. Lovely stone fruit flavors.”

**Tony Love, The Advertiser
November 2008**

91 pts “The 2007 The Money Spider Roussanne is unoaked. It has an enticing perfume of honey and tropical fruit aromas followed by a vibrant, ripe, smooth-textured wine with layers of flavor. Drink this outstanding effort over the next 2-3 years.”

**Jay Miller, Robert Parker’s The Wine Advocate
August 2008, Issue 178 “Value Wines”**

90 pts “Light apple and pear nose that is carried on to the palate. It’s different – a wine of interest. It doesn’t ignite the taste buds or the imagination, but it is different and very well made. Strangely it tasted better the next day.”

**Tony Keys, The Key Review of Wines
December 2008**

90 pts “Appealing Rhone variety. Smoky aromas merge deliciously with the creamy stonefruit richness. Full, rounded palate lifted with a fine acid finish.”

**Ray Jordan, Cellar Notes, The West Australian
December 2008**

88 pts “Green-gold. Smoky pear and melon aromas, with exotic honeycomb and candle wax qualities adding interest. Light-bodied citrus and dried orchard fruit flavors are focused and a tad hard-edged. Finishes clean and firm, with a repeating waxy quality. I’d have liked a bit more succulence.”

**Josh Raynolds, Stephen Tanzer’s International Wine Cellar
Sept/Oct 2008**

88 pts “Fresh and distinctive for its green apple, wildflower and sage aromas and flavors, liting nicely as the finish sails on.”

**Harvey Steiman, Wine Spectator Online
2008**