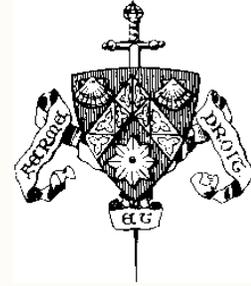




2012 YERINGBERG SHIRAZ

Review Summary



96 pts “Seductively textured and fruited but its smoky, bacony, bunchy flourishes are the real heart starters. This has cellarability written all over it. Dark cherry, plum and roasted nut flavors talk a pretty good game in themselves. Gorgeous blend of fruitiness and herb/spice notes.”

James Halliday
Australian Wine Companion
2015

93 pts “Guill de Pury began replanting his family’s vineyards in 1969, a north-facing hillside in Coldstream where his grandfather, a Swiss baron, had first established vines in 1863. His daughter, Sandra, now makes their wines from nine acres of vines amid the sheep and cattle at their 1,100-acre farm. This 2012 buzzes with energy, with the meatiness of finocchiona and cracked black peppercorn spice. The stemmy greenness adds depth to the flavor while the gentle tannins make all the zesty flavor more friendly and accessible. A classic from Yarra.”

Joshua Greene
Wine & Spirits
February 2015

92 pts “Fresh and vibrant, open-textured and relatively light on its feet, with sweet spice and black pepper notes that weave through the plum and fresh currant fruit, echoing on the elegant finish.”

Harvey Steiman
Wine Spectator Insider
October 1, 2014



92 pts “Youthful violet color. Primary dark berries, incense, violet and black pepper on the highly perfumed nose. Palate-staining blackcurrant and boysenberry flavors are underscored by juicy acidity and accented by a bright, spicy nuance. Powerful yet lively shiraz with excellent back-end thrust and smooth finishing tannins that shape the persistent, sharply focused blue fruit and floral flavor qualities.”

Josh Raynolds
Stephen Tanzer’s International Wine Cellar
July/August 2014

91 pts “Moderate alcohol leaves the palate feeling refreshed sip after sip, while the flavors remain concentrated enough to please and last. This wine brings elements of cracked green peppercorns, tart cherries and wood ash, while the finish picks up notes of chocolate and displays a silky, tea-like texture.”

Joe Czerwinski
Wine Enthusiast
October 2015