



2009 KILIKANOON GREEN'S RESERVE SHIRAZ

Review Summary



95 pts “The 2009 Green’s Vineyard Shiraz displays a deep purple-black color and aromas of crushed black currants, wild blueberries and black plums with fragrant hints of dried herbs, forest floor and lavender. Full bodied with plenty of mouth-filling, taut, primary fruit, it is well supported by a firm level of chewy tannins and refreshing acid, finishing long with some black pepper coming through. It should drink best 2013 to 2022+.”

Lisa Perrotti-Brown
eRobertparker.com
February 2012

94 pts “Deep crimson-purple; from the estate-owned vineyard, the bouquet offers blackberry, plum, dark chocolate and integrated oak; the palate is undeniably full-bodied, but there is lots to enjoy in the wine.”

James Halliday
Australian Wine Companion
2013

92 pts “This wine displays ample concentration in its inky color and potent aromas of dark berry fruit. There’s a hint of raisining as well. In the mouth, it’s mouthfilling but lacks a bit of texture; the flavors include dark plums, vanilla and hints of dried fruits, like figs and dates. With a finish that calls to mind chocolate fudge (minus the sugar), opt for drinking this wine over the relatively near term, now to 2020.”

Joe Czerwinski
Wine Enthusiast
February 2014

92 pts “Glass-staining ruby. Explosive bouquet evokes candied cherry, blackberry liqueur, spicecake, vanilla and mocha. Round, juicy and deep, with exotic oak spices adding complexity to the black and blue fruit preserve flavors. The velvety finish shows impressive energy and power and leaves smoke, blueberry and spice notes behind.”

Josh Raynolds
Stephen Tanzer’s International Wine Cellar
July/August 2012



91 pts – Very Good+ “This midnight blue colored Shiraz from Barossa opens with an inviting blueberry bouquet with a hint of Hawaiian Punch. On the palate, this wine is full bodied, balanced and smooth. The flavor profile is a gentle blackberry with hints of minerality and a touch of blueberry and black licorice. The finish is dry and its slightly building tannins linger slightly before fading. This wine would pair very nicely with a porterhouse steak.”

Ken Hoggins
KensWineGuide.com
May 7, 2013

91 pts “Firm, with prickly tannins around a supple core of cherry and berry flavors, hinting at coffee and mint as the finish lingers. Gets better and more cohesive with each sip. Drink now through 2020.”

Harvey Steiman
Wine Spectator Insider
February 22, 2012

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