



# 100 CAVES

## SHIRAZ- 2022

MARGARET RIVER • WA

### COLOUR

Vibrant brick red with intense purple hues

### NOSE

Shows lifted plums and spicy cherry flavours

### PALATE

Soft and fleshy in the mid-palate with soft, chewy, and lingering tannins, which are slightly chalky.

### WINEMAKING

Our Shiraz was picked in the cool of the morning gently destemmed and inoculated with a cultured yeast strain and fermented at 24°-28°C. At dryness, the wine was pressed off skins and matured on French oak for nine months before being bottled in February 2023.

### FOOD PAIRING

Charcuterie, tomato-based pasta, pizza, or barbeque meats

### VINTAGE NOTES

We experienced a cool spring with significant rains during October, which delayed vine development resulting in a slightly later harvest than normal. Summer was dry and warm with warm nights. Conditions for flowering were ideal and remained ideal right through till veraison. Disease pressure was low, and there was plenty of Marri tree flowering to minimize bird damage. 2022 has been an outstanding vintage.

### QUICK NOTES

VINTAGE 2022

WINEMAKERS Richard Rowe

GRAPE VARIETY 100% Shiraz

BOTTLED February 2023

GROWING AREA Margaret River WA

ALC %/VOL 14.1% v/v

STANDARD DRINKS 8.3

CELLAR POTENTIAL Best before 2030

OAK French

MATURATION 9 months

