

2020 PROPHECY SHIRAZ



prophecy /'profisi/ - a prediction of what will happen in the future...

Available by the dozen only, this Wine Club Member's Exclusive wine represents exceptional value and continues to be one of Kilikanoon's most popular wines.

PLACE

Composed from premium Shiraz vineyards on the east and west ridges of our estate property in the Clare Valley.



VINTAGE CONDITIONS

2020 was a hot and dry year in Clare Valley. It forced the vines to push deep into the soil, yet also allowed for full ripening of the grapes. Lower than average rainfall created a few challenges, but through careful fruit selection and final blending a wine of elegance and poise was crafted.

WINEMAKING

Parcels of Shiraz for this exclusive wine were selected from the east and west ridges of the Golden Hillside, right by the Kilikanoon winery. These elevated sites with multiple plantings of Shiraz with differing aspect, altitude and soil profiles provide the subtle nuances required to produce a wine of both power and elegance. Fermentation lasted between 7 and 10 days, with plunging and pump overs occurring two to three times daily. Each parcel remained separate until the final blend was assembled.

COLOUR

Dark blood red with crimson hues.

NOSE

Generous aromas of red fruit with dark brambly notes.

PALATE

The aromas follow through to intense flavours of big red fruits, supported by the bramble notes alongside bay leaf and clove. Full-bodied and velvety, with well integrated tannin and oak. A delightfully smooth finish. Elegant and powerful, this wine punches well above its weight.

GRAPE VARIETY

Shiraz 100%

FOOD PAIRING

Superb with bbq'd fillet steak, spicy kebabs and juicy ribs.

WINE ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 14.5%

CELLARING/PEAK DRINKING

Ready to drink now or pop in your cellar for up to 10 years.

WINEMAKER

Peter Warr







LAST TASTED
30th July 2022