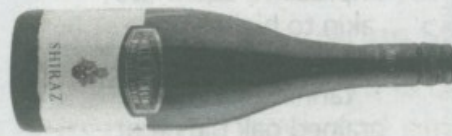




MITOLO 7TH SON GRENACHE SHIRAZ 2013

Lovely light and spicy nose, with a distinct rose petal, plum and lightly cinnamon character. On the palate the rich supple fruit of the region manifests itself perfectly, with a light touch of oak. There is regional character in every sip here in what is a terrific wine. **94/100**



WILLS DOMAIN SHIRAZ 2014

A Margaret River producer making a step up in terms of quality. This is a value-for-money wine with loads of appeal. Gorgeous cherry and violet hues with vanillin and plummy fruit. Velvety with grainy tannins. **92/100**



KINGSTON ESTATE WRATTONBULLY SHIRAZ 2013

Wrattobully really does make some very good shiraz. This one displays a lot of the cooler-climate influence with such smooth and seamless, generously proportioned fruit characters. Delightful perfume with a sprinkle of spice and cedar. **90/100**



MOSS WOOD AMY'S 2013

A blend of cabernet sauvignon, merlot and malbec. Opens with a leafy aromatic so typical of this region. There's a little blackcurrant and subtle red fruit in there, with a trace of cedary oak. The palate is tightly held, with fine, sinewy tannins and supple medium-to-full-bodied fruit. Balanced and poised to a long finish. **93/100**

Ray Jordan's **2015**
TOP 100 REDS



MILLBROOK CABERNET SAUVIGNON MALBEC 2013

Margaret River-sourced wine, with the malbec playing a big role in the nose with its leafy red-berry influence. Full and generous, with powerful and wonderful consistency through the middle palate. Totally complete in every way and one of the best yet under this label. **94/100**



CASTLE ROCK ESTATE PINOT NOIR 2014

Another super-deluxe wine from Rob Diletti. Sweet, ripe fruit with a tight restraining tannin and oak grip. This is serious pinot made with a view to some extended cellaring. Still pretty tight and firm but the good years are ahead of it. **94/100**



RAY JORDAN'S *the BEST of the* REDS

DEEP WOODS EBONY CABERNET SHIRAZ 2012

This excellent vintage has managed to pump so much high-quality fruit into what is a terrific value-for-money red. The blend works so well, with the plumper shiraz complementing the cabernet perfectly. Dusty, chalk tannins and light-oak treatment allow the fruit to strut its stuff to best effect. **91/100**



PAXTON WINES MV SHIRAZ 2013

Big, ripe and juicy McLaren Vale shiraz displaying all of those generous middle-palate goodies. Layers of spices and plum, with a little cedary-oak influence underpinning what is largely a fruit-driven crowd-pleaser. Soft, round and delicious, and all made with biodynamics. **92/100**