

Peter
LEHMANN
The Barossa

1999 EIGHT SONGS SHIRAZ

A tribute to the great Shiraz vineyards of the Barossa

The Barossa Valley was settled in the 1840's by German speaking Lutherans and English pioneers many of whom planted vines. These vineyards have been tended over many generations and today, the Barossa is the custodian of some of the world's oldest and greatest Shiraz vineyards.

Peter Lehmann Wines has an intimate knowledge of these vineyards, nurtured now by the descendants of the early pioneers. With an understanding of the qualities of specific low yielding vineyards and the flavour subtleties of Barossa Shiraz, Peter Lehmann Wines has crafted an individual wine that is both regal and stylish.

Colour: Dense deep black red

Bouquet: Lifted complex berry fruit nose with overtones of dark chocolate and hints of mocha

Palate: Seductive and caressing richness of berry fruit with beautiful firm fine-grained tannins giving a superbly tight structure. A supple wine of great length

Vineyard : Selected high quality, low yielding Shiraz vineyards of the Barossa Valley

Oak: Fermented and then matured for 18 months in French oak hogsheads

Alc/Vol: 14.0%

Cellar: Superb to drink now, however this wine will improve with many years in the cellar

Serving Suggestions:

A stunning partner to roast duck, braised lamb shanks, and rare roast beef. It would also do justice to roast saddle of hare with demiglace. Also delicious with richly flavoured casseroles. Delightful with aged cheddar or a mature parmesan.



Tasting Note