



K1 by *Geoff Hardy*

2014

Middle Hill Shiraz

Adelaide Hills

Story: The Middle Hill Shiraz is sourced from the middle hill of the K1 vineyard, a picturesque sandstone ridge producing elegant, spicy, cool climate style Shiraz.

Vintage: 2014 was a challenging vintage, but it was very interesting to see the vines' methodical reactions to make use of whatever was thrown at them. We were lucky with the timing of the heat and rain - the grapes were still early enough in their ripening cycle to not be hugely affected by the heat and then the rain in mid-February provided a well-earned reprieve.

Nose: The nose offers aromas of plum, apricot and spice with a floral lift.

Palate: The palate is balanced with notes of cloves, black pepper and sweet aromatics of candied orange. This wine is medium-bodied with a silky mouth feel and well integrated tannins.

Pairing: The Middle Hill Shiraz is an easy drinking, food friendly and well balanced Shiraz. Try it with dishes such as caramelised pork belly with sticky rice and Asian greens.

Cellaring: Drink now or to 2020

Alc: 14.4%

TA: 6.53g/L

pH: 3.49

RS: 1.8g/L

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