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Heartland Spice Trader 2012



SPICE TRADER WINS TWO TROPHIES IN THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN RED.

The Get Wines Direct Trophy for The Best Wine Under \$20

The Amcor Closures Stelvin Trophy for The Best Shiraz-Dominant Blend.

The 2012 Spice Trader Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon is deep garnet-purple in color and shows off a pronounced cassis and black plum nose with hints of eucalyptus, star anise, cloves and pepper. Medium to full-bodied with lots of mouth-filling and juicy blackberry flavor, it is supported by medium level, grainy tannins and refreshing acid before finishing with very good length. Drink it now to 2017.

Rating: 90 - Lisa Perrotti-Brown
eRobertParker.com #212 (May 2014)



This has "drinkability" in spades. Captures the ripe fruit of Langhorne Creek with a burst of vibrancy. It has superb concentration and weight on the palate. Great value for a wine that is so enjoyable now. **93 / 100 – Ray Jordan's Top 100 Reds, July 2014**

An impressive new release from Ben Glaetzer, this is a hearty blend of shiraz and cabernet sauvignon from one of South Australia's great workhorse wine regions – Langhorne Creek. It is a forward and juicy style of red, a very good companion for a T-bone steak or winter casserole. Dark, powerful and spicy. It is made from relatively young vines but has been matured in French and American oak and packs a punch without being overpowering.

Winsor Dobbin, The Sunday Examiner, June 29, 2014

Dark and peppery, with blackberry and cherry fruit at the core, picking up licorice and a touch of char as the finish lingers against polished tannins. Drink now. 2,500 cases imported.

Score: 89 – Harvey Steiman

Wine Spectator Issue: Mar 31, 2014

This wine won two trophies at last year's The Great Australian Red competition in Adelaide. It took home the trophy for best Shiraz-dominant wine and also best wine AUD\$20 and under. I was over the moon when I heard that it was going to be shipped to the UK. Only a handful of people have seen this wine so far and everyone is completely gob-smacked when they taste it and then find out the price. Ben Glaetzer is a brilliant winemaker but it really impresses me when he can turn on the full-beam-charm at this price. The name says it all – the tasting note is written on the label so I don't have to repeat it. Buy this wine and tell me that Australia doesn't make the greatest value red wines on earth. - **Matthew Jukes 100 Best 2014-15**