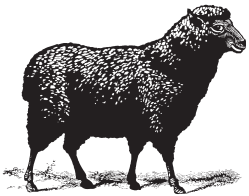


HUGH HAMILTON THE MOOCHER

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HIS DAUGHTER AND 6TH GENERATION OF THE FAMILY, MARY, CONTINUES THE LEGACY, MAKING US AUSTRALIA'S OLDEST WINE FAMILY.

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STORY

Lazing around on the vine it's almost always the last to harvest; no variety mooches more than our Mataro. Luckily this loafer is no slouch in flavour and so always worth the wait.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The rows of the Church vineyard are hemmed in by a creek at one end and an enormous old gum at the other. Many years this can mean one end is dipping its toes in the water while the other is getting fairly thirsty. I think the range of flavours we see rolling about this wine is, at least in part, due to this variation along each row. Rich fruit but still crisp and with tremendous structure.

BOUQUET AND PALATE

A big soft punch of plums, honey-bacon, and a whole field of multiple florals. India ink, rosemary, coal, and raspberry. Soft, lip smacking, smoochy palate. Pulpy fresh, and bright. Lolls like caramel; lingering. Mocher speed.

MCLAREN VALE

2021

VARIETAL

Mourvèdre

COLOUR

Vibrant crimson/purple

DRINK

1-4 years

FOOD MATCH

Pan fried maple and apple pork chops, or a roast beetroot and butternut pumpkin salad with tahini.

HARVEST DATE

24th March 2021, 9th April 2021

BOTTLING DATE

10th February 2022

ANALYSIS: TA: 7.2 G/L | PH: 3.42 | ALC: 14.9% | RS: 26/L **VEGAN FRIENDLY**

