

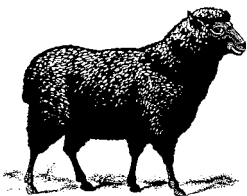
HUGH HAMILTON

BLACKOUT

HUGH HAMILTON IS THE 5TH GENERATION OF A LARGE WINE DYNASTY AND IS REGARDED AS THE BLACK SHEEP OF THE FAMILY.

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

THE BLACK SHEEP EXPERIENCE IS EXTRAORDINARY. HUGH IS THE MASTER OF A MOST REPROBATE RANGE OF VARIETIES FROM THE CLASSICS TO THE MORE ECLECTIC. WHEN IT COMES TO TASTING OUR WINES, YOU CAN EXPECT TO ENJOY THE DIFFERENCE.



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STORY

Sometimes things just need to be thrown to the wind – without precedent, without archetype, just a simple idea taken through to completion with purity. We had an idea, but nothing else to lean on. The idea was solid though, so we did the only thing a Black Sheep can do – we just did it. Ancient Saperavi grapes, fortified in a Vintage Port Style, matured in Kentucky Bourbon barrels.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

Fortified Saperavi – sure; it makes sense, embrace a Vintage Port style and lean into the intense spice box that is Saperavi. Now – mature it entirely in Kentucky Bourbon barrels? That's a sideways move...

BOUQUET AND PALATE

Boondocks liquor and sporty fruit. High-violet and a crackling fire. Smoky plum, star anise, bubblegum. Clouds precedent to a storm and all the lightning too. Sparking out of the glass - snappy raspberry, vanilla pod, coconut, and split redgum.

The palate is massive, a flavour firecracker. Aromatic, portentous and pure. This is a circus-train running on straight rails direct to your skull. Endlessly entertaining, riotous, unexpected, and profuse.

CHURCH VINEYARD

2022

VARIETAL

Fortified Saperavi

COLOUR

Pitch Black

DRINK

Now and into the unseen future

FOOD MATCH

There's an immense purity in spending time with this wine solo, but a little cheese wouldn't hurt. Choose the blue, this is a wine that'll stand up to all contenders.



ANALYSIS: TA: 6.0 G/L | PH: 3.62 | ALC: 19% | RS: 114 G/L VEGAN FRIENDLY