



Worlds Apart

2021

'SOMEONE GREAT'

Grenache | McLaren Vale - Australia



NATURAL



ORGANIC



VEGAN

Stats

Grapes: 100% Grenache

Vineyard: Endersby Vineyard, Blewitt Springs

Vine Age: 60-years-old

Soil Type: Sand

Viticulture: Sustainable - practicing organic - dry-farmed

Fermentation: Native (100% whole bunch)

Skin Contact: 24 days

Aging: 9 months in neutral oak

Alcohol: 10.9%

pH: 3.33

Total Acidity: 6.3 g/L

Total SO2: 46 g/L

Total Production: 230 cases

About

When asked about the meaning behind the name of this wine, a four word sentence was all it took to sum it up. "Someone great is gone." A simple sentence, but one that carries a lot of weight. Taras Ochota was Louis Schofield's beloved mentor and friend, and his passing brings the kind of sorrow and reverence that makes things a little more clear. This cuvée was born in that vein, out of the desire to make a Grenache that is lighter than the normal full-bodied options from McLaren Vale.

The grapes were harvested from 60+ year old vines from the Endersby Vineyard and were whole bunch pressed after a 24-day maceration before spending 9 months in neutral oak. The wine was bottled without fining or filtering; the only additive was a small dose of sulfur.

Tasting Notes

An irruptive perfume of red fruits sits on a light, bound frame. It is a wine that will age with grace, proof that something great is on the other side.

Reviews

James Suckling | 93 points

The Wine Front | 95 points