

# CHAPTER THREE

*Shiraz Viognier*

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## SHIRAZ VIOGNIER 2008

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

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**BLUE-GOLD Award Winner & TOP 100 Wines of the Competition**

2012 Sydney International Wine Competition

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2011 Sydney International Wine Competition

*'..Dark crimson colour. Intense black pepper aroma. Complex rich plummy notes. The palate showed tremendous balance. Lovely primary fruit and a long finish. Fruit sweetness rather than sugar sweetness. The great complexity in the wine married well with the complex flavours in the food..'*

Ken Dobler, Judge, Sydney International Wine Competition, Jan 2012

*'..Very bright looking colour. One of those appealing, spicy, peppery, forward lifted noses. It has that modern, bright punch about it. Spicy pepper with excellent balance. With the food, some clean, simple and terrific flavours are left in the mouth. A fantastic wine..'*

Mark Robertson, Judge, Sydney International Wine Competition, Jan 2011

**Gold** 2010 Royal Melbourne Wine Show

**Silver** 2011 Royal Sydney Wine Show

**Silver** 2010 Royal Sydney Wine Show

**Silver** 2010 Royal Adelaide Wine Show

**Silver** 2009 Royal Melbourne Wine Show

**Silver** 2009 Royal Sydney Wine Show

**Bronze** 2011 Royal Perth Wine Show

**Bronze** 2011 Royal Adelaide Show

**Bronze** 2010 Royal Perth Wine Show

### 90 POINTS

*'..A full-bodied example of this blend, with notes of licorice and leather joining black pepper on the bouquet and pallet alike. Will appeal to those who enjoy generosity.*

*Highly recommended. Wine of great quality, style and character, worthy of a place in any cellar..'*

James Halliday's Wine Companion 2012



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