

CRAFTED IN THE BAROSSA SINCE 1979.

2015 EIGHT SONGS BAROSSA SHIRAZ

Named after a person or event that has played an intrinsic role in the story of Peter Lehmann, Masters is a premium range of wines showcasing classic Barossa varietals.

Released with bottle age, the wines are drinking beautifully now but offer excellent ageing potential.

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| Vineyards | Crafted from Shiraz grapes, sourced from the Barossa Valley and Eden Valley, carefully selected from a number of low-yielding vineyards renowned for their quality of fruit. |
| Vintage Conditions | The 2015 harvest was an early vintage following a cool and dry growing season, with timely rainfall at veraison of the grapes. These conditions produced highly coloured, richly structured red wines destined for many years in the cellar. |
| Winemaking & Barrel Ageing | Fermented and macerated on skins for up to two weeks with some partial barrel fermentation. Following pressing and clarification, the wine was matured in 60% new 300L French oak hogsheads for approximately 15 months. |
| Colour | Deep red with a black core and an alluring vibrancy brought upon by a crimson edge. |
| Aroma | Aromas of ripe plums and sweet dark chocolate intertwined with the complexity of freshly ground coffee and subtle warm spices. |
| Palate | Rich, opulent and full-bodied - exhibiting classic Barossa Shiraz characters of moreish chocolate nuances and subtle spice. There is an incredible richness of flavour, which suggests immense longevity. |
| Winemaker's Note | 'Eight Songs for a Mad King' is one of Peter Lehmann's favourite vocal ensemble musical works, which he loved for its soft harmonies. This work inspired him to create Eight Songs Shiraz, first made in 1996. Peter Lehmann's aim was to produce a soft and stylish Barossa wine. |
| Peak Drinking | This is an outstanding red wine which will cellar exceptionally well, until 2046. |
| Enjoy With | Perfectly suited for rare roast beef, or even enjoy with rich casseroles or gourmet flaky pastry pies. Can also be savoured alongside a decadent cheese board with a great aged Cheddar. |
| Wine Analysis | Alc/Vol 14.5% TA 7.26g/L pH 3.53 RS 0.67g/L* |

*Glucose & Fructose




Nigel Westblade, Chief Winemaker

