BLUE BELLE

One Tree Hill • Graciano • 2018



The Story

The Blue Belle throws back her flame-hued mane - a beauty of the Adelaide Hills. Don't mistake that shimmering beauty for weakness though - she takes no prisoners and will challenge all who take her on. Yet with that bright silvery gold hue, her vivacious charms, the bright elegance and opulent fruit, the Blue Belle is hard to resist.

The Wine

This is a wine that looked too good to be lost into a larger blend so it gained its own spot in the range.

The fruit was sourced from One Tree Hill from the Rocca Family. This grower provides a good deal of our Italian varietals. Vineyards were planted on the family's cattle property in 2008. The Roccat vineyards lie on the same ridge as the famous Magill vineyards of Penfold's claim. Penfolds are also large fruit buyers in the lesser known GI which cemented the family's vision that the region grows fruit of top quality.

Fermented in small open top fermenters and hand plunged. Age for 12 months in season French and American oak. The wine enjoyed 12 months aging in bottle prior to release.

Tasting Note

A fruit driven style loaded with juicy fruit flavours of blueberries and aromas of violets with a hint of spicy oak.

Colour-rich and flavour packed, this wine is great on its own or would perfectly pair with a spiced lamb. On the Barbeque of course.

