

2022 ELODIE SYRAH

WINEMAKER SERIES

VARIETY	100% Shiraz			
FRUIT SOURCE	Watervale in the Clare Valley			
VINTAGE	<p>The best winter rains for some years, meant vines came out of dormancy into bud burst with the soil profile full of moisture. An official La Nina weather event lead to a cool, wetter than average Spring, leading to good canopy growth. Most of the flowering occurred late November early December during a rare dry calm period of weather, leading to good fruit set and an above average crop. December was very dry with less than 1mm recorded. We had above average rainfall in January and February, which really helped the vines through veraison leading to the biggest crop loads since 2017. March and April remained dry, which was perfect for the bulk of our harvest.</p>			
BOTTLED	December 2022			
WINE SPECIFICATIONS	Alcohol	14.0%	Total Acidity	6.5g/L
	pH	3.41	Reducing Sugar	0.3g/L
COLOUR	Striking, intense bright crimson purple.			
AROMA	Aromatic and concentrated notes of plum, dark cherry, fresh blackberry and white pepper spice.			
PALATE	Medium bodied, fleshy textured red and black fruits fill the bright generous palate. Subtle liquorice and savoury notes add another layer. Fine tannins and light herbal notes bring balance and length to this lovely wine, all supported by integrated fresh acidity.			
CELLARING	Up to 5 years.			
OAK MATURATION	7 months seasoned French Hogsheads			
FOOD IDEAS	Lamb shanks, roast meat and vegetables, stews, duck, mild curries and light Indian dishes.			

