



2023 Glaetzer Wallace

PRESS REVIEWS

Ray Jordan

2023 Wallace – 93 points

This is always such a consistent and perfectly crafted, value-for-money red wine out of the Barossa. It's largely shiraz with about 16% grenache. Some of these vines are up to 80 years old in the case of the shiraz and 100 years old in the case of the grenache, so this is pretty serious fruit for a wine at this price. The aroma is characterized by the bright red fruits with a little glazed cherry, and the palate reveals deeper, richer flavours while still keeping those bright red fruits dominant, consistent with this longer, cooler vintage. It has potential for medium-term aging but really does drink well now.

Ray Jordan, Wine Pilot, July 2026, Australia www.winepilot.com

Ken Gargett

2023 Wallace – 92 points

An enticing Barossa Valley blend of Shiraz and Grenache, with an 84/16% split. From the Ebenezer sub-region, the Shiraz vines range in age between 50 and 80 years, while the Grenache are between 50 and 100 years. The team minimise oak contact for the Grenache with the aim of preserving the purity it can exhibit, while the Shiraz spent sixteen months in a mix of French and American oak hogsheads, an 80/20 split, which were two to three years in age.

Deep red with a dark crimson border, the nose reveals notes of cherries, wild raspberries, hints of licorice, red apples and dried herbs. It is slightly savoury/sappy in style, but well balanced and offering decent length through to fine, sleek tannins. The finish lingers appealingly and there is lots to like here. Enjoy it over the next eight to ten years.

Ken Gargett, Wine Pilot, June 2026, Australia www.winepilot.com