

# JIM BARRY

## CLARE VALLEY

PROUD FAMILY WINEMAKERS SINCE 1959



This Shiraz honours the vision of pioneer Clare Valley winemaker Jim Barry.

In 1964, Jim purchased 70 acres of prime land from Duncan McRae Wood and planted his first vineyard with Shiraz. It was an inspired choice of both grape variety and location.

Wine has been flowing in the Clare Valley since 1851 and is an integral part of the culture. It is one of Australia's most prestigious premium wine regions, most famous for its Riesling and Shiraz. A small area, accounting for less than 1.5% of Australia's total wine production.

With its beautiful, rolling hills, ideal winter rainfall and Mediterranean climate, the Clare Valley carries a unique history and winemaking heritage.

## 2017 THE MCRAE WOOD SHIRAZ

### Winemaking Notes

Dark forest fruit aromas, combine with nuances of spiced dough. This is classic Clare Valley Shiraz.

Blackberry compote and lightly spiced vanilla flavours. A deep and brooding core, with a moreish texture and flavour. A wine for the ages.

### Vintage Information

Variety:	100% Shiraz
Vintage:	2017
Region:	Clare Valley, South Australia
Estate grown:	100%
First release:	Vintage 1992
Analysis:	Alc/vol 14.3% Total Acid 7.0g/L pH 3.4
Oak:	French
Drink by:	2037
Serve at:	16-18°C
Winemakers:	Tom Barry & Ben Marx

