



*Perfumed red fruits. Distinctive musk notes. Vibrant, juicy and textured.  
Rounded, supple tannins.*

Larry Cherubino

Finisterre: [*Ends of the Earth*] – focussing on single-variety, single-region wines with an emphasis on selected special sites that display our preferred characteristics. Hand-harvesting, fruit sorting and intuitive winemaking delivers small-parcel wines with clarity, purity, great texture and flavour expression. ANDREW (SANDY) OATLEY

#### CULTIVATION

REGION: McLaren Vale, South Australia  
LOCATION: Blewitt Springs  
VINEYARD: Loulakis  
AVERAGE VINE AGE: 80 years  
PRUNING: Spur pruned bush vines  
GEOLOGY: Maslin sands over limestone calcrete, west facing 120-130m elevation

#### VINIFICATION

WINEMAKERS: Larry Cherubino and Debbie Lauritz  
HARVEST: March 14th 2023  
VARIETAL: 100% Grenache  
WINEMAKING: Hand harvested at ideal ripeness, fermented on skins for 10-12 days, settled then matured in large format 3+ year old oak  
YEASTS: Various  
OAK: 6 months in older large format French oak

#### STATISTICS

ALCOHOL: 13.5%      RESIDUAL SUGAR: 3.8  
PH: 3.51      CELLARING: 5-8 years  
TOTAL ACIDITY: 5.66 g/l

#### MAJOR ACCOLADES FOR RECENT VINTAGES

Vintage 2022: GOLD Halliday Grenache Challenge 2023, McLaren Vale 2023, Queensland Wine Awards 2023, Melbourne Wine Show 2023; two SILVER; 95pts James Halliday; 95pts Tony Love; 95pts Ray Jordan; 95pts Ken Gargett; 92pts Huon Hooke; 91 pts Halliday Wine Companion; 91pts James Suckling  
Vintage 2019: 95pts Ray Jordan; 93pts Ken Gargett; 93pts Huon Hooke; 93pts Halliday Wine Companion; 91pts Angus Hughson



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