



Babich

NEW ZEALAND WINE

Babich Winemakers' Reserve Syrah 2014

This deep coloured Syrah is produced from vineyards in the Bridge Pa region of Hawke's Bay. The peppery aroma and strong berry fruit flavours are characteristic of this variety.

Region:

Hawke's Bay - Bridge Pa

Recommended Food:

The sweet fruit flavours, edged by savoury oak make this wine an ideal partner to red meat dishes. Try it with pan-fried lamb cutlets, or with braised beef spooned over mashed potatoes.

Recommended Cellaring:

2-6 years

Production Notes:

These grapes were harvested after a long steady ripening through late summer/early autumn from our St John vineyard in Hawke's Bay. The fruit was fermented in open vats with frequent plunging of the "cap". After an extended period on skins young wine was drained to new (35%) and old French oak for maturation for a period of 12 months.

Technical Notes:

Alcohol: 13.0%

TA: 5.9g/l

pH: 3.71

Residual Sugar 0g/l

Tasting Notes:

Aromas of dark and sweet with liquorice, vanilla and cracked pepper. Sweet and rich entry, soft yet well structured. Lingering plum and spice.

Awards:

PURE SILVER - *Bragato Wine Awards 2015*

95+ POINTS - *Decanter Magazine Nov 2015 issue*

4 STARS, 18 POINTS - *Raymond Chan, www.raymondchanwinereviews.co.nz, Jan 2016*



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