



2011 RIGHTEOUS GRENACHE

Very good colour given the vintage and variety; there is a range of fruit flavours from cherry to raspberry to plum, backed up by tannins and a dash of oak.

94 POINTS, JAMES HALLIDAY AUSTRALIAN WINE COMPANION OCTOBER 2013

Deep-ish red, slight purple, raisiny, squashed-antsy, somewhat overripe aromas. Sweet, deliciously ripe flavours, soft and supple, rounded and balanced, with an almost pinotysuperripe sweet black-cherry fruit character. Lovely wine, soft and fleshy and fruit-sweet. Silken texture. Drink:2013-2023

92 POINTS, HUON HOOKE, SEPTEMBER 2013

Medium to deep garnet-purple in color and redolent of crushed red currants, kirsch and red plum preserves infused with an undercurrent of orange peel plus white and black pepper, the full-bodied 2011 Righteous Grenache gives a good amount of red fruit flavor marked by lively acid and a low to medium levels of soft tannins. It finishes with lingering, peppery notes. Drink it now to 2020+.

91+ POINTS, EROBERTPARKER.COM, #211, FEBRUARY 2014

I don't much like to taste new oak in Grenache, though maybe that's just me. Sweet oak spice, licorice, earthy/mulchy stuff (in a good/interesting way) and mixed berries. Light and spicy with a pleasant sense of freshness in amongst some twiggy 2011 vintage character fruit and oak derived flavours. Tannin is shapely and lightly grainy, and because it's not a big wine as such, does show a bit of alcohol warmth. Finish is great though – long and authoritative.

91 POINTS, GARY WALSH, WINE FRONT DECEMBER 2013



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