



*Picarus*

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## **Picarus Reseeve-A Barossa Valley Old Vines Shiraz 2012**

### **Growing Region:**

Barossa Valley South Australia.

### **Tasting Notes:**

This wine was produced from low yielding vineyards in the prestigious and famous Barossa Valley region of South Australia.

Picarus Reserve-A is only produced in great years that have deemed to have created fruit of unsurpassed quality and style.

Reserve-A is our finest Shiraz from those greatest of vintages. The two blocks, one of 12 years old and the other of 30 years were harvested at the same time.

The fruit is produced utilizing techniques that limit water supply to maximize fruit expression in the final wine. Following final pressing, the wine was then moved to 50% French and 50% American Oak for maturation.

This wine displays a delightful deep brick red colour with some purple hues. The bouquet is more than expected of a Barossa Shiraz with characters of wild berries and savoury notes.

The palate is lifted and full bodied which displays its complexity through a long palate graph. The refined and luxurious oak is balanced as is the tannin and acid structure.

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