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2024 Estate Verdelho

Region

Hunter Valley

- Fresh, modern styles of Hunter Valley classics. State-of-the-art wine making combined with top quality fruit make this quintessential range of wines ready to enjoy right now.
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The Story

Verdelho, as a variety, has an extensive history in the Hunter Valley. In the early 1820s, pioneering figures like James Busby and John Macarthur brought Verdelho from Europe. Initially, it was used mainly for fortified wines. These vines that produce this Estate Verdelho were planted on our Lovedale Road property in the early 90s.

The Wine

This Verdelho bursts with fresh, tropical aromas like lychee, passionfruit, and a hint of pineapple. It's crisp on the palate, with vibrant fruit characteristics that mirror the nose with an added touch of lemon rose geranium. A touch of natural acidity keeps the finish clean and dry, making you want another sip and another...

The Vintage

The 2024 vintage was fast and furious with the ideal conditions of hot and dry weather condensing the harvesting window to four weeks.

A dry period throughout the growing season saw the vines flourish. Yields were down, but quality was high which is ideal for our small family-owned winery.

The Potential

To fully experience the vibrant and generous fruit flavours that define Verdelho, it is recommended to enjoy it while young.

Although this wine can develop further complexity with a few years of cellaring, it is perfectly delicious to enjoy now.

The Match

Craving spicy Asian cuisine? This 2024 Estate Verdelho is your perfect match! Its bright acidity and refreshing fruit notes will cut through the richness and heat, making each bite sing. Pair it with a Malaysian seafood laksa, Kung Pao chicken, or Chongqing hotpot for a truly unforgettable culinary adventure.