

2011 The Violinist Verdelho



About This Wine

This wine shows great intensity with a layer of creaminess, seamless balance, beautiful fruit salad and tropical, peach focused fruit characters. We assume you've finished your 2010 Violinists, so if you've been hanging out for this, it's worth the wait.

The Violinist is named for the days when Sarah was made to play the violin right-handed in school, so that she didn't poke her right-handed neighbours in the eye with her bow.

The grapes were grown on the Gemtree vineyard in McLaren Vale.

Barrel fermented and matured in 2/3 American and 1/3 French oak using only new barrels

Alc: 15.5% Residual sugar: 2.5g/L pH: 3.53

Marquis Fruit Weight (your guarantee of quality) 70%

Reviews

Wine Advocate

The 2011 The Violinist Verdelho presents a moderate intensity of pear and warm apple fruit aromas with hints of white pepper and fresh hay. Dry, rich, full-bodied, creamy textured and with good flavor concentration in the mouth, it has a long finish. Drink it now through 2013. – Lisa Perrotti-Brown, www.erobertparker.com

Past vintages

2010 The Violinist – WA 90 pts

2009 The Violinist -WA 90 pts

2008 The Violinist –WA 90 pts

2007 The Violinist -WA 90 pts and 'Excellent Value under \$25'

2006 The Violinist -WA 92 pts and 'Best Buy under \$20'