HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Kingston Estate Shiraz

Usual Price	£14.99
Discount Price (inc. VAT)	£12.99
Code	KING050

Elegant ripe plum fruits with spicy pepper and a hint of smoky oak.

Tasting Notes:

Brilliant intense red with purple hues in colour. On the nose, elegant ripe plum fruits combine with spicy pepper and a hint of smoky oak. On the palate, layers of dark fruits and eucalyptus spice are balanced by soft tannins and an amazing smooth finish.

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Specification	
Vinification	The grapes were harvested at optimum night temperatures with individual selections kept seperately throughout. Fermentation commenced at 20°C then allowed to peak at 28 - 29°C and conducted in small static fermenters before being drained and pressed before allowing alcoholic and malolactic fermentation in barrel. Maturation was in French and American oak.
ABV	14%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink now
Country	Australia
Region	South Australia
Area	Clare Valley
Type	Red Wine
Grapes	Shiraz
Vintage	2023
Body	Soft, fruity and smooth
Producer	Kingston Estate
Producer Overview	Kingston Estates was established by the Moularadellis family. The winery was built in 1985 on the corner of the family property next to the original vineyard as well as the family home.Today the winery can be considered two wineries in one: the original winery and the modern extension.The original winery is where they make their small batch super premium wines giving them the flexibility and control to develop parcels of wine into exciting styles that truly reflect the varieties and regions from which they come. State of the art tanks and winemaking equipment enhance their ability to produce commercial and larger volume bulk wines to the highest standard.
Closure Type	Screw Cap
Food Matches	Perfectly paired with barbecued foods, richly flavoured meats and game birds.
Press Comments	Jancisrobinson.com, 2023, 15/20: "Smells of blackcurrant jam. Tasted alongside the much-more-expensive DR3 x St Hugo Shirazes, this was a relief. Simple, fruity, honest and not over-extracted or over-made."