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WINE REVIEW

Zema Estate Coonawarra Shiraz 2016

Some wines offer value time after time yet continue to sneak under the radar. I find Zema Estate wines don't get the credit they deserve at times. This Shiraz is a beauty, as was the Cluny 2016 A wine which will reward patience, but it is good to go now as well.

But if you do choose to tuck into it now, give this a decant to see it at its best. It's a spicy Shiraz - red fruits and berries are deep rooted within. Red currants and red cherries plus baked raspberries meet char, cloves, cedar and woodsy spices. Those spices steer proceedings to a longer than expected finish. After two and three days of tasting it softened immeasurably. There's still some tannin grip, but that fruit now glides with absolute ease. A terrific Shiraz!

RATING

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