



## 2010 Glaetzer Amon Ra Shiraz - 98 points

'Amon' and 'Ra' were two deities rolled into one to become the Sun God of ancient Egyptian mythology. With this release Ben Glaetzer has created a wine of mythic proportions from a vintage he describes as "one of the highlights of the last few decades".

Super saturated totally opaque inky black colour with very deep black crimson hue. The nose displays an impressive aromatic profile blackberry, liquorice and dark plum followed by some vanillin confectionary, mocha and spice showing a touch more intensity than the Anaperenna at this stage of its early life. Imposing palate presence and richness, yet not over the top, combining finesse with power. Very generous, the palate delivers mouthfilling flavours of blackberry, liquorice, confectionary, light toasted oak and black pepper. Exceptional length with precision perfect fruit, acid & tannin balance. Velvet smooth perfectly integrated tannin structure. Very long and persistent aftertaste of blackberry liquorice, confectionary and black pepper.



## 2010 Glaetzer Bishop Shiraz - 96 points

The distinctive labels of the Glaetzer portfolio hold special significance when you view this stunning collection of wines as a family affair. Bishop Shiraz, totally opaque black purple colour with very deep black purple hue. The nose displays aromas of ripe blackberry, liquorice and confectionary followed by some subtle vanillin oak and spice end notes. The palate is full bodied with an explosive flavour profile of rich ripe blackberry and liquorice followed by some confectionary and spice with a peppery back palate. Very fine grained, slightly dryish but balanced tannins provide the wine with excellent structure. Superb depth with long persistent blackberry, liquorice & blackpepper aftertaste.

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