



# DJ CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019 McLAREN VALE

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*Don J Oliver*

DON JOHN OLIVER [BORN 1951]

## THE Greats RESERVE SERIES

— *'The Greats' is an exceptional range of single vineyard wines that pay homage to the Oliver family's many colourful characters, while showcasing the very best of McLaren Vale.*

### WINEMAKER

*Corrina*

Corrina Wright,

6th Generation

### GRAPE VARIETY

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

### COLOUR

Rich Deep Burgundy

### ALCOHOL

14.0 %

### CELLARING

10+ years

### HISTORY

DJ is a man of few words; as straight up and down as the prized rows of vines he cares for. His passion for grapegrowing is only exceeded by his passion for his family and sport (especially sport!) This reserve Cabernet is a deserving testament to him; to his passion, his grit, his down-right stubbornness, and his relentless efforts to grow the best fruit possible.

### VINTAGE

2019 was one of the hottest summers on record, and the dry season resulted in a 30% reduction in our crop. While there was no impact on quality, it means we just have a bit less to share with you this year!

### AROMA

Blue plum, cassis, anise and coffee grinds. Choc mint biscuits and charred rosemary.

### PALATE

Pop a lamb roast in the oven quick! Mint jelly, juicy ribena currants, anise, stewed cherries and dusty tannins to round out the palate. Sweet blue fruits, chocolate licorice and toast, plenty of structure and aging potential for those who have the patience to wait, but also a cracking drink now!

### OAK TREATMENT

30% new French oak – the DJ spends 18 months in barrel



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GREAT GRANDFATHER.