



**SPARTACUS**  
**CABERNET SAUVIGNON, MALBEC,**  
**SHIRAZ**  
LANGHORNE CREEK | 2017



Our best parcels of Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon and Malbec were selectively picked from low yielding old vines grown on premium dirt, just off the Angas River in Langhorne Creek. The three varieties were separately crushed, fermented and barrel-aged for approximately 18 months. The best barrels were then chosen in the winery and blended before bottling. Expect concentrated, bold flavours and great length. This is a classic blend, combining the richness and intensity of Shiraz, structure and great age-ability of Cabernet Sauvignon and powerful lift of Malbec. Cellar for 20 + years.



*Deep red colour with a good tint of purple. The bouquet is smoky-oaky, earthy and super-ripe, while the palate unfolds mocha, toasty barrel, smoky, earthy and dark chocolate flavours, welded to abundant chalky, powdery tannins. It's full-bodied and robust, with cocoa powder nuances and a solid concluding grip. There's a generous core of sweet fruit.*

**HUON HOOKE, THE REAL REVIEW**  
**MAY 2019**

*This is the best of the current Karrawatta cabernet releases. It's certainly full-bodied, but is well balanced, and the black and plum fruits have an Uber car of tannins awaiting their call.*

**JAMES HALLIDAY**  
**AUSTRALIAN WINE COMPANION 2020**

**Gold (2017 VINTAGE)**  
Six Nations Wine Challenge 2019

**95 points Gold (2017 VINTAGE)**  
Halliday Wine Companion 2020

**Trophy Wine (2016 VINTAGE)**  
Six Nations Wine Challenge 2018

**Gold / 5 Stars (2016 VINTAGE)**  
Winestate Magazine

**95 points Gold / 5 Stars (2016 VINTAGE)**  
Halliday Wine Companion 2019  
Hyon Hooke, The Real Review

