

Four Sisters Merlot 2001

Four Sisters is the creation of Trevor Mast, owner and winemaker at Mount Langi Ghiran, world famous for its Langi Shiraz. One year his four daughters created the wine label design as a birthday surprise. Produced with the help of the eldest daughter Daliah, a graphic designer, the label depicts each one of the sisters – from the left they are Sophie, Anja, Daliah, and Ineke. Delighted with the label mockup and his daughters' plans for a wine aptly named Four Sisters, Trevor initially crafted a small production wine from the vineyard growing behind the family home. However, with the positive response from all who tried the wine and heard the original story behind it, Four Sisters is now a successful brand with a range of four classic Australian varieties.

REGION

South Eastern Australia

WINEMAKING

After the fruit is crushed and destemmed fermentation occurs between 20°-25°C for 7-10 days. The wine is matured in oak for twelve months using a mixture of century old large oak vessels and smaller new oak barrels. Cold stabilization occurs before bottling.

COMMENTS

The fruit selected for this wine is the finest available from preferred vineyard sites throughout South Eastern Australia. The nose and palate exhibit intense flavors of cherries and spice whilst the finish is long and flavorful.