

# MITOLO

## PRESS REVIEWS

2013 7th SON GRENACHE SHIRAZ SAGRANTINO  
McLAREN VALE



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65% Grenache from Blewitt Springs; 32% Shiraz and 3% Sagrantino kept separate until blending. Destemmed, cool ferment, matured for 18 months in used French oak. An elegant, high-quality blend, the two major varieties playing off each other's strengths, with a full array of red and black fruits. Sure handling of extract and oak ties the knot.

**James Halliday Wine Companion 2016**

### 94 POINTS

Lovely light and spicy nose, with a distinct rose petal, plum and lightly cinnamon character. On the palate the rich supple fruit of the region manifests itself perfectly, with a light touch of oak. There is regional character in every sip here in what is a terrific wine.

**Ray Jordan's 2015 Top 100 Reds, Ray Jordan, July 2015**

### 92 POINTS

You'd have to say that there wouldn't be many Grenache, Shiraz, Sagrantino blends out there, so as a yardstick you just have to go with how the wine works in perfume and flavours. It's rich, really spicy, thick set and syrupy in texture, but it all kind of works and the wine kind of thrills for its unusual personality.

**Wine Business Magazine, Mike Bennie, April 2015**

### 92 POINTS

You could call this a GSS blend: 65 percent Grenache, 32 percent Shiraz and 3 percent Sagrantino. Perhaps it is the small dose of Sagrantino that adds to the serious tannins, a structural element that tightens around the wine's core of bright, dark purple fruit. Give it plenty of air and the sour cherry marmalade and mace-like spice lightens, turning toward the flavor of tiny wild strawberries.

**Wine & Spirits Magazine, January 2015**

### 9.2/10 POINTS

"Septimus filius divinis electusque est"- The Seventh Son is divine and chosen. You don't hear that very often do you? Well, you don't see many Seventh Sons either but this is quite divine.

**Daily Examiner, Max Crus, January 2016**

### 90 POINTS

Grenache shiraz blends, with grenache holding about 2/3s of the blend. It's certainly rich and ripe. Sweet too. Raspberry and earth with oozes of plum jam. Firm tannin tries its best to keep it all under control, more or less successfully. A red-fruited whopper.

**Winefront.com, Campbell Mattinson, March 2015**