Zonte's Footstep
Langhorne Creek, Australia
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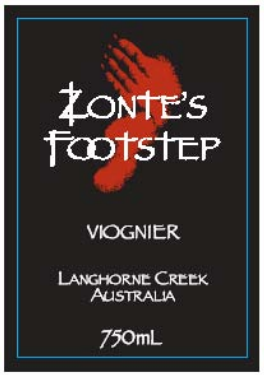
2005 VIOGNIER

Region
Langhorne Creek, Australia

Variety
Viognier

Maturation
Stainless steel tanks



Background

The grapes are sourced from five hundred and twenty odd acres of vineyard at Langhorne Creek, one of Australia's oldest wine grape districts just South East of Adelaide, the capital of South Australia, on the spectacular Fleurieu Peninsula.

Last century a group of old school mates founded the vineyards in the Langhorne Creek wine region, close to the original 19th Century plantings, in the traditional grape growing heart of the area. Planted mainly to red grape and beloved Shiraz, there are also some significant plantings of whites, including and pioneer plantings Viognier in the district, and with more than 50 acres of the variety planted, quite possibly the largest planting in the Southern Hemisphere.

Tasting Notes

Initially rich in flavor and structure but at the same time refreshingly crisp. Lovely ripe cantaloupe and melons, also citrus, orange peel / citrusy juicy sweet fruit characteristics. All in all a mouthful of elegant finesse – a red drinkers white with a serious little twist of tea like tannin on the end. A medium to full bodied white that is zingy to the last mouthful.

Additional Notes:

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