

**Bleasdale Vineyards
Frank Potts
Langhorne Creek
Cabernet Sauvignon
Malbec Petit Verdot
2004 ★★★★★**

Nectarine-like varietal fruit has blended perfectly with the oak and tannins, creating a seamlessly silky wine that is at its peak. Drink soon and enjoy. \$28

**cabernet sauvignon
\$25-\$30**

**Saltram of Barossa
Mamre Brook
Barossa Cabernet
Sauvignon
2004 ★★★★★**

Fragrant, oaky aromas with delicate, perfumed, violet-like nuances. Intense and rich in the mouth. Very good flavour weight - loaded with cola, cedar, tobacco and cassis fruit. Tight and tannic and needs time. \$25.99

**Chrismont King
Valley Cabernet
Sauvignon
2004 ★★★★★**

A stylish and very well made wine. "Beautiful and opulent," enthused one judge. It has it all: plums and blackberries, toasty oak, lots of spices, hints of anise and a sprinkling of pepper. \$26

**Majella Coonawarra
Cabernet Sauvignon
2005 ★★★★★**

Beautifully lifted cherry/cassis aromas with oak adding complexity. Stylish palate richly layered with lovely lingering flavours of cigar box, violets and mint. A wine with finesse, structure and excellent mouthfeel. \$28



**Witchmount
Cabernet Sauvignon
2004 ★★★★★1/2**

A big, rich, warmly oaky wine. "Very alluring," said one member of the panel. Interesting tarry/soy-like aromas and delicious, lip-smacking, peaty/chocolaty/dark fruit palate. \$26

**K1 by Geoff
Hardy Gold Label
Adelaide Hills
Cabernet Sauvignon
2004 ★★★★★1/2**

A beautifully rich 'fruit cake' of a wine. Opulent blackberry nose and complex inky/tarry palate with good weight of fruit and nice use of subtle oak with a minty hint. Needs time. \$28

**Coriole Estate
Grown McLaren Vale
Cabernet Sauvignon
2005 ★★★★★**

Powerful jammy nose complemented by sweet, spicy oak. Lovely tight, ripe palate - slightly hot but has elegant fruit flavours. "Excellent value for money," said one judge. \$25

**Cavalier Crest
Margaret River
Cabernet Sauvignon
2005 ★★★★★**

Leathery aromas with a cedary lift. Nice herbal/minty varietal palate that is both elegant and complex and supported by a good dollop of quality French oak. \$26

**Chalkers Crossing
Hilltops Cabernet
Sauvignon
2003 ★★★★★**

Complex cedary nose with hints of tobacco and mint. Long, tannic palate very flavoursome, with lots of chewy, peaty characters and nice cedary oak notes. \$25

**cabernet blends
\$30-\$35**



**d'Arenberg The
Galvo Garage
McLaren Vale
Adelaide Hill
Cabernet Sauvignon
Merlot Cabernet
Franc Petit Verdot
2004 ★★★★★1/2**

Very complex and powerful chocolaty nose, with loads of ripe, jammy fruit aromas. Hot and rich in the mouth, with intense flavours showing beautifully evolving complexity. \$30



**Churchview Estate
The Bartondale
Reserve Margaret
River Cabernet
Merlot 2004 ★★★★★**

Subtle aromas; smells like crushed ants dipped in sarsaparilla! Big, complex, tannic palate with enough fresh berries underneath to carry it. Needs time. \$34.50



**Warramate Yarra
Valley Cabernet
Merlot 2004 ★★★★★**

A powerful wine in the vintage port genre. Cedar and cigar box on the nose and ripe prunes on the palate, with some pretty obvious alcohol heat. \$32 CD

**cabernet sauvignon
\$30-\$35**



**Harrington Glen
Estate Reserve
Granite Belt
Cabernet Sauvignon
2005 ★★★★★**

Powerful and complex on the nose, with lots of chocolaty/oaky aromas. Great palate - dense and chewy, with a big mouthful of intense, peaty, black fruit flavours that linger on and on. Quite oaky. \$30



**Stefani Estate
The Gate Yarra
Valley Cabernet
Sauvignon Merlot
2004 ★★★★★**

Dense and meaty on the nose, with a big alcoholic lift. Big, jammy, plum/cherry palate but has layers of attractive toasty wood to support it. \$30 CD



**Cape Naturaliste
Estate Torpedo
Rocks Margaret
River Cabernet
Merlot 2004 ★★★★★**

Very interesting, funky, fruit pastille nose with a lovely dusting of oak. Beautiful cedary palate has an excellent structure - very elegant. \$34