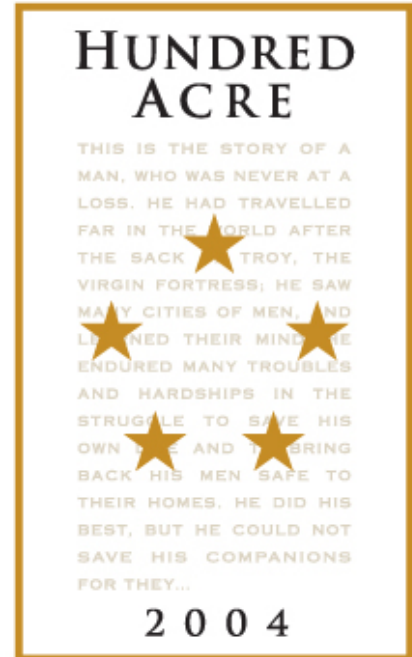


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## "Barossa's Big Dogs ~ The Foreign Invasion"

"Canadian **Jayson Woodbridge** purchased a 40-acre Barossa vineyard in 2002, drawn by the region's ancient plant material. Situated across from Greenock Creek winery and overlooking Seppeltsfield, it's in a choice location, and says Woodbridge, 'was planted using cuttings from vines taken from Grange's best performing vines'. 'The Barossans think I'm nuts', he says, referring to the extensive handwork carried out in the vineyard and his insistence on berry-by-berry sorting. But the truth is in the glass, where his **Hundred Acre Ancient Way Shiraz 2004 excels (94 points)**. Wine that doesn't make the cut for the 500-600cs production of Hundred Acre is bottled under his Pure Love Wines label; The Layer Cake Shiraz offers great value for the money in the 2005 vintage (90 points, \$15; reviewed in the April 2007 issue)."



### **2004 Hundred Acre Ancient Way Vineyard Summer's Blocks, Shiraz, Barossa Valley**

**94**  
POINTS

"Incredibly dark in color but light on its feet, this wine somehow manages to hide its 15.5% alcohol under fruit that's neither overblown nor jammy. Spice and herb driven complexity is the order of the day, with scents of violets lending an exotic note to the aromas. It is mouthfilling and palate-coating but wonderfully balanced, picking up hints of black olive and espresso on the lingering finish. Good now, but appears to have the stuff to evolve over at least 10-15 years."

– J.C. (11/1/2007)

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