

Church Block Cabernet Sauvignon Shiraz Merlot 2019



93 POINTS & 5 STARS

Sam Kim | wineorbit.co.nz

June 2021

It's splendidly expressed on the nose showing cassia, dark plum, thyme and toasted nut aromas, followed by a beautifully flavoursome palate offering excellent fruit intensity together with supple texture and chalky tannins. Comforting and highly enjoyable. At its best: now to 2029.

90 POINTS

Stuart Knox | The Real Review

June 2021

Intense ruby-red core to a crystalline ruby rim. Dark berry compote, cedar shavings and wakame aromatics. There's a dense richness of chocolate and dark berry fruit, judiciously balanced though with a firm hand of sandy-grained tannins. Good length and flow to a quite long and savoury finish. A lot of wine here at the price.

92 POINTS

International Wine Challenge

May 2021

Purity with black concentrated fruit and bold tannins, generous fruit ample in the mouth, long and lasting.

90 POINTS

Gary Walsh | The Wine Front

May 2021

Blackcurrant, cranberry, baking spice and cocoa, sage and herb. It's fresh and a little but juicy, but has a slight hardness to texture, though the flavours are appealing, and the overall impression is positive. Good wine, and likely better with a year or two in bottle.

94 POINTS & 2021 TOP 100

James Halliday | Halliday Top 100 Wines of 2021

November 2021

85 POINTS & BRONZE MEDAL

McLaren Vale Wine Show 2021

November 2021

BRONZE MEDAL

NZ International Wine Show 2021

February 2022