

# Miss Zilm

CLARE VALLEY

2023 AUBURN FIANO



Miss Zilm is a selection of small batch single vineyard wines celebrating my beloved Clare Valley, where I've spent twenty years making wine.

Fiano is the southern Italian variety that has found a good home in the rolling hills of Clare.

This lively, textural and aromatic wine showcases the diversity and potential of Clare Valley beyond its famed Rieslings.

### Vineyard & Vintage:

Seven years ago, Fiano was grafted on to a single vineyard of 30-year-old Riesling vines in the sub region of Auburn.

Thriving in terra rossa over limestone soils, these vines are vigorous with a healthy canopy, which helps them withstand the heat and dry summer conditions.

### Winemaking:

The fruit was harvested in the cool of night and delivered to the winery at dawn where it was destemmed and gently pressed. The ferment was cool and controlled. The resulting wine remained on yeast lees with a small portion in seasoned oak for four months.

### What you see:

Pale straw with a soft green hue.

### What you smell:

Notes of ripe apples and dried spice. Flinty and complex.

### What you taste:

Medium bodied with beautifully intense flavours. Textural with notes of lemongrass and zesty, bright natural acidity.

### Details:

Harvested:	TBA	Alcohol:	12.0%
Bottled:	TBA	pH:	3.06
Closure:	Screw cap	TA:	6.3

