



## 2017 Two Hands Lily's Garden Shiraz

**Price:** \$59.95 + refundable bottle deposit and handling fee

**Varietal:** Shiraz/Syrah

**Brand:** Two Hands

**LCBO Product #:** 863167

**LCBO:**

**Region:** McLaren Vale, Australia

**Category:** Regular Consignment

**Bottles Per Case:** 6

**Bottle Size:** 750ml

### Availability

Availability in consignment

### Background

The 'two hands' are Michael Twelftree and Richard Mintz who formed Two Hands Wines in 1999 with the clear objective of making the best possible shiraz based wines from prized shiraz producing regions within Australia. From the beginning the wines were very well received at home and abroad with a healthy stream of reviews, culminating in 2004 with Robert M. Parker pronouncing Two Hands as "the finest negociant operation south of the equator".

Since the winery opened, Two Hands success has gone from strength to strength with numerous accolades defining the culture of the organization. In only their 11th vintage, Two Hands created history by placing in Wine Spectator's annual Top 100 Wines ten years in a row - an astounding achievement that has never been equaled by any other winery world-wide. Consistent 90+ reviews from Robert Parker Jnr's Wine Advocate, Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, James Halliday's Wine Companion, Wine Spectator and the UK Decanter magazine is further testament to the company's ability to capture the terroir of each vineyard and carefully nurture the characteristics of each parcel. Not surprisingly, Two Hands has come to be regarded as one of Australia's the most prestigious estates.

### Tasting Notes

**Colour:** Deep dark red tending bright red at the meniscus.

**Aroma:** Notes of spiced plum, blueberry pie with hits of musk stick, warm vanilla and pain grille.

**Palate:** Full bodied with lashings of spice, plums, blueberry jam and milk chocolate. Tannins are round, bold and chewy then tighten through the finish. Hedonistic in style with complexing notes of mocha coffee beans, vanilla pod and clove. Incredibly long and persistant through the finish.

