

# ANGOVE

SINCE 1886

FAMILY WINEMAKERS

## LONG ROW

2021 RIESLING

SOUTH AUSTRALIA



### VINEYARD

Sourced from our Nanya Vineyard in the Riverland from our own “heritage” clone of Riesling originally planted by Tom Angove in the early 70’s. This particular clone of Riesling produces an extremely varietally expressive wine in our region. Cuttings have since been grafted to new rootstocks to re-establish this heritage on modern trellising with drip irrigation – the legend continues.

What a Vintage! Following all of the challenges 2020 threw at us it was satisfying to enter the 2021 season with our vineyards in near perfect condition and Mother Nature smiling down on us. Good winter rains set the vines up for the perfect start to the growing season with mild conditions continuing through from budburst to flowering. This allowed for good, even fruit set and low disease pressure. The relatively mild conditions continued through veraison and onto ripening with only a handful of days over 35 degrees Celsius. As the fruit ripened on the vine we knew we would be crafting the best wines of the decade (it is year 1 after all). Harvest began in late January and continued in and even, unhurried pace into late March with all varieties looking simply stunning.

### WINEMAKING

Picked late at night to harvest the grapes as cold as possible the grapes were transported to the winery and pressed using modern membrane tank presses. After cold settling the clear juice was carefully racked to cooled fermentation tanks and inoculated with selected yeasts. Cool fermentation was followed by minimal handling, filtration and bottling at the Angove winery.

### TASTING NOTES

COLOUR	Bright pale-medium straw colour with some green hues.
AROMA	This delicious Riesling has a flamboyant lifted floral nose displaying floral citrus and tropical notes.
FLAVOUR	These characters carry through on the palate, underpinned with some lime and citrus, and a hint of guava with a good weight and a clean and soft finish of surprising length.
CELLAR POTENTIAL	Drink now

### HAVE IT WITH ...

Enjoy whilst young and fresh with grilled seafood or Asian cuisine.