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ELDERTON WINES

BAROSSA VALLEY, AUSTRALIA

Elderton Ode To Lorraine 2009

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(aged for two years in 80% French and 20% American oak, all new): Saturated ruby. Flamboyant aromas of blackberry liqueur, potpourri and sandalwood, with a sexy note of vanillin oak in the background. Stains the palate with plush black and blue preserve lifted by a smoky mineral quality and a hint of five-spice powder. Decidedly rich but energetic as well thanks to juicy acidity and zesty spiciness. An alluring floral pastille quality comes up on the deeply fruity finish, which lingers with supple, integrated tannins and impressive persistence.

—Josh Reynolds, *Vinous*, March 2016

