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**drinking it**

**Tim White**

## **HOWARD PARK SCOTSDALE SHIRAZ 2001**

**89/100**

*"Smells plummy, leafy, with a sniff of licorice and gets even better the longer it sits in the glass, evolving raspberries and currants. There's plenty of plum and raspberry fruit in the mouth as well, backed up by long, chewy tannins. There's wholemeal and cassis to close and also just a bit too much alcohol heat. Very much on the plus side is the packaging though: sealed with a screwcap so consistency is guaranteed. Will come together further during the next few years."*

