



The Wine Thief Series

SACRED HILL

CENTRAL OTAGO

PINOT NOIR

2004

Tasting Notes

Lifted aromas of black cherry and wild strawberries with fragrant brambly complexity. Rich and silky mid-palate focused wine with great power and elegance. Complex layered flavours with a rich savoury finish.

Vintage Summary

Excellent conditions prevailed in the renowned Bannockburn.

Vinification

Hand picked, hand plunged, hand crafted wine.

<i>Winemaker</i>	Tony Bish	<i>Variety</i>	Pinot Noir
<i>Region</i>	Central Otago	<i>Style</i>	Dry
<i>Appearance</i>	Deep ruby red	<i>Cellaring</i>	2-4 years
<i>Serve</i>	Ambient	<i>Alcohol</i>	14.0%
<i>RS</i>	<2 g/L	<i>TA</i>	6.6 g/L
<i>pH</i>	3.5	<i>Packaging</i>	12 x 750ml bottles

The 'Wine Thief' is a traditional winemaker's tool used to extract sample wines for tasting. Usually made from glass, the thief is the winemakers' best friend as they look for special wines. The Wine Thief Series has been developed to show the passion and pursuit of excellence that these hand selected wines represent.

