



Douglas Laing Old Particular (distilled at Strathclyde) 27 year old 1988



57.9%

This example is more assertive than the Strathclyde 1987 (see *below*), but with a better defined grain character. Peeled plum skins, Christmas spices, and honey. Well-balanced yet intense, it feels packed with potential. Warming, with dried orange peel, a big wave of ginger, spice, dried apple, and mango ensure sufficient sweetness to swamp the acidic tendencies of the citrus. The spices rattle around the mouth for some considerable time, colliding with the dry citrus. (198 bottles)

£89



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