

FONTAINE DU CLOS

2018 - VACQUEYRAS Reflet de l'Âme Red



The Barnier family, based out of Sarrians, in Vaucluse, has been working generation after generation on this family own Domaine. The Domaine counts more than 40 different varieties of grapes and 247 acres of vines, included 35 acres of Vacqueyras and 32 acres of Côtes du Rhône. Their vine nursery gave birth to the Domain Fontaine du Clos which elaborate more than 14 different wines, in IGP Vaucluse as well as in AOC Vacqueyras and Côtes du Rhône. They work with passion to offer you the best of their Terroir.



50% Grenache
40% Syrah
10% Mourvedre



60-64°F
16-18°C



2021



15 years

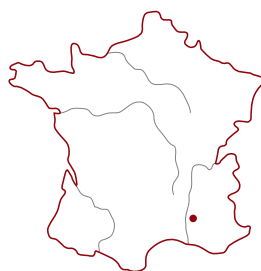


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Ongoing HVE



31 hl/ha

TERROIR



VINEYARD : 4,3 ha vineyard.

LOCATION : Southern part of Vacqueyras appellation

SOIL : Small stones, limestone and clay soil

EXPOSURE : South exposure.

WINEMAKING

HARVEST : Hand-harvested by the end September. Total de-stemming.

VINIFICATION : The two varieties are vinified separately. Traditional and ancestral vinification, during 21 days on marc, with two daily pumping over,, and under controlled temperature.

FERMENTATION : The Grenache are aged in tanks on fine lies and the Syrah in oak barrels, before blending and bottling.

TASTING NOTES



Ruby with hints of purple



Ripe strawberries, raspberries,
crushed flowers, violets



Medium to full body, sweet tannins,
and a great finish

FOOD PAIRING

Grilled lamb

Risotto mushrooms

Honey duck aiguillettes