DOMAINE BENEDETTI

CDR VILLAGES PLAN DE DIEU



Domaine Benedetti was established in 1930 by Nicolas Benedetti moving from Italy to France and directly to Châteauneuf du Pape. After his death, Nicolas' three children took over the domaine. Noël Benedetti, grand father of the actual owner, inherited 1,4 ha of Châteuneuf and 1ha of Cote du Rhône. Until 1997 and the arrival of his son Christian he used to bring the grapes to the coop. After 1997, Christian decided to start making his own wine and created Domaine Benedetti. Between 1998 and 2001, Christian got the opportunity do grow the Estate with 4 ha of Cote du Rhône and 2,2 ha of Châteauneuf. As a natural extension, Christian moved to organic agriculture in 2000. In 2004, Nicolas Benedetti join the adventure after studying oenology and winemaking.











Grenache Syrah Cournoise

60 °F 16 °C

2-5 years

years old

Organic

hl/ha 4000 bottles

TERROIR



VINEYARD: 4 hectares

LOCATION: Wines from a selection of terroir in the Côtes du Rhône Village Plan de Dieu.

SOIL: sand and rolled pebbles

EXPOSURE: South facing

WINEMAKING

HARVEST: Traditional hand picking.

VINIFICATION: Total destemming. Fermentation in stainless steel tanks with indigenous yeasts.

MATURATION: Ageing in concrete tank and barrels of 500L during 10 months.

TASTING NOTES



FOOD PAIRING



Deep purple colour,







Gooseberry jelly, fern and nuts

Spicy sausage risotto

Cheese



Supple structure, discreet tannins and a finish enhanced by the fresh scent of liquorice.

