# **BENJAMIN ET DAVID DUCLAUX**

# CÔTE-RÔTIE La Chana

The Duclaux Estate was founded in 1928 by the great-grandfather of David and Benjamin Duclaux. He purchased the winery, still based in Tupin and Semons, along with vineyards on steep, hard-to-work slopes, but situated on some of the finest terroirs. All work is done manually. The estate is one of the very few to be exclusively located on gneiss soils, the light-colored rock of Côte-Rôtie. David and Benjamin took over from their father, Edmond, in 1994 and 2001, respectively. Their father significantly developed the vineyard work and after making the bold decision in 1978 to sell 100% of their production in bottles. Today, the estate spans nearly 6 hectares of Côte-Rôtie. Benjamin and David also produce a beautiful Condrieu cuvée in partnership with a long-standing winemaking of the appellation.



93% Syrah

7% Viognier



53-57°F

12-14°C



25 years old

1-8 years



Sustainable 40 hl/ha 6500 bottles





## VINEYARD : 1 hectare

Plots on steep terraces in Tupin. Is it a typical soil of the South of appellation (Gneiss). Viticulture tasks are handmade as several centuries ago.

### WINEMAKING

#### HARVEST : Manual harvest

VINIFICATION: 80% destemmed. Vatting for 3 weeks. Temperature controlled alcoholic fermentation. Traditional pumping over the cap.

MATURATION : about 20 months in oak barrels without new oak

#### TASTING NOTES

Ruby colour

#### FOOD PAIRING

Rare rib Rump of beef Roast lamb



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Violet and charming red fruits with a hint of bacon and pepper

Juicy and finesse Syrah with velvety tannins

