BENJAMIN ET DAVID DUCLAUX

CONDRIEU Les Caillets

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.





53-57°F

12-14°C







100% Viognier

5-10 years

20 years old Sustainable

40 hl/ha 6500 bottles

TERROIR





VINEYARD: 1.5 hectares located in Tupin et Semons

SOIL : Granite soils. Vineyard on steep terraces.

WINEMAKING

HARVEST : Manual harvest

VINIFICATION : Direct pressing in whole bunches, settling cold static then fermentation on fine lees.

MATURATION : Aged for 8 months on lees in barrels

TASTING NOTES

FOOD PAIRING



Grapefruit, mandarin, honeysuckle

and delicate vanilla notes

Sincere wine with clean and persistent fruitiness. A voluptuous white.

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Scallop kebab with mushrooms Poultry sauté with pepper sauce