

2021 VIN DE LA SOLITUDE A.O.C. CHÂTEAUNEUF DU PAPE

Grenache noir 25% - Serine 22% (ancêtre de la Syrah) - Counoise 20% - Mourvèdre 20% Cinsault 7% - Clairette 3% - Clairette rose 2% - Roussanne - Picpoul - Bourboulenc 1% VIN ISSU DE L'AGRICULTURE BIOLOGIQUE FR-BIO-01 - ORGANIC WINE

Vin de la Solitude is a tribute to our ancestor Paul Martin, who was one of the first French winemakers to sell his wine in bottles in the 18th century under the name "Vin de la Solitude".

Made according to the 18th-century vinique art with very different blends where Grenache is not dominant. The wine consists of a large number of co-fermented grapes with much longer macerations than those made today.



















We have reissued the four original labels of the Wine of Solitude.

Production:

Total: 2804 bottles and 180 magnums.

Vinification and aging:

- The grapes of each grape variety are harvested by hand and then put in vats over their maturity.
- The first varietal Syrah is tanked in early September while the latter, Counoise early October.
- They are cofermented in whole bunches in a wooden conical tank.
- The alcoholic fermentation is very long, it lasts more than a month & the vatting has lasted 80 days.
- Aged for 15 months in barrel the wine is then bottled without fining or filtration.

Tasting notes:

- Floral nose with black berries and spices.
- A mouth with aromas of cassis, bouquet of garrigue.
- It is an elegant and refined wine, tannic while remaining fresh.

Storage:Drink now until 2032.Serving temperature:60F° to 65F°.

JAMES SUCKLING-99 POINTS #35 ON HIS TOP 100 LIST! #7 ON HIS TOP 100 FRENCH LIST!

Pour yourself a glass of this and spend an hour experiencing how it opens up in stages. At first there's an incredibly zesty and dangerously vibrant nose, but with great savory complexity. Then notes of dried cherries, candied oranges and touches of bitter chocolate emerge. And when you think it's all done, a spicy and balsamic character unfurls. Incredible energy and purity on the very focused medium- to full-bodied palate, where the huge tannins feel astonishingly delicate. An almost endless mineral finish. Drink or hold.

ALSO: WINE ADVOCATE-94 POINTS, WINE SPECTATOR-93 POINTS, JEB DUNNUCK - 90 POINTS





