







Domaine du Vieux Lazaret Ventoux



Vintage: 2016

Cotes de Ventoux

This blend is 65% Grenache, 20% Syrah, 10% Cinsault and 5% Carignan An estate of 30 acres, surrounding a charming old farmhouse, at the foot of Mount Ventoux in the appellation Cotes de Ventoux .. A surprisingly elegant and well balanced wine with forward fruit and interesting spicy flavors.

Pair with Red meats, lam provencale, fish, vegetarian dishes and cheeses.

The harvest is transported in gondolas filled with CO2 to keep oxygen out and keep the grapes cool. The grape varieties are de-stemmed and pre-blended. Vatting time:8 to 10 days. Vat-matured for 8 months.

Surprisingly bright red fruit for a Rhone wine. It also exhibits great smoky notes.

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The origin of the name Vieux Lazaret dates back to the 18th century when there existed in the center of the village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape a hospice or Lazaret. This offered comfort and shelter for the poor and infirm, provided by the Lazarists; a silent order of monks founded in 1625 by St Vincent de Paul to look after the sick and the needy in the French countryside. The buildings fell into disuse and were sold by the Commune during the 19th century to the Quiot family and used as agricultural buildings. Being situated in the village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape and close to other properties owned by the Quiot family, these original buildings have today been extended and modernized, and now form the main center of the agricultural activities of Famille Quiot.



