



# Northern Rhône, Domaine du Murinais, Caprice de Valentin, AOC Crozes-Hermitage, Rouge

AOC Crozes-Hermitage, Vallée du Rhône, France

A story of passion and patience for this family estate of 18 hectares of vines in the Croze Hermitage appellation: Luc and Catherine Tardy, have been working at Domaine du Murinais since 1998, with a history dating back to 1768. Working organically, the soils are ploughed, ridged and hoe-worked by hand. This is the work of a goldsmith for Luc Tardy, who "likes his wines to breathe the place where they were born, to express what he feels in the middle of his vines, inside his cellar".

### **PRESENTATION**

Valentin is the son of Luc and Catherine Tardy, and he has a strong personnality, subject to "caprice"!

#### **TERROIR**

Plateau of pebbles

#### IN THE VINEYARD

No chemicals.

Age of the vineyard: 57 years.

## WINEMAKING

Manual harvest, selective sorting in the vineyard then in the cellar on a sorting table. Search for optimum ripening. Total destemming.

Wild yeasts fermentation.

25 days maceration.

## AGEING

18 months in new "demi-muids", no racking during ageing. Bottled with no fining agent, slight filtration.

## VARIETAL

Syrah 100%

### GM: No

Contains sulphites. Does not contain egg or egg products. Doe not contain milk or milk-based products.

## AGEING POTENTIAL

Enjoy all year long, 10 to 15 years



