

Château Lilian Ladouys

CRU BOURGEOIS EXCEPTIONNEL

SAINT-ESTÈPHE



Château Lilian Ladouys, Saint-Estèphe, 2012, Gagnant de la coupe des Crus Bourgeois 2015 Saint-Estèphe

Combining gourmet richness, voluptuousness and subtlety, Lilian Ladouys's wines are made by and for epicureans.

THE WINE

Owners: Family Lorenzetti
Managing Director: Emmanuel Cruse
Property Director: Vincent Bache-Gabrielsen
Oenologist : Eric Boissenot
Area : 46 ha

TERROIR

Peyrosols and limestone

IN THE VINEYARD

All work favorizing a good distribution and aeration of the grapes (disbudding, clipping, thinning out of leaves). Grass planted according to the vigor of the plot. Hand-picked harvest, followed by a manual sorting on clusters and then on berries.

VINIFICATION

Gravitary vatting without pressing
Prefermentary cold maceration
Long vatting period
Racks and returns

AGEING

15 months in barrels
40% of new oak

VARIETALS

Cabernet sauvignon 55%, Merlot 45%

SPECIFICATIONS

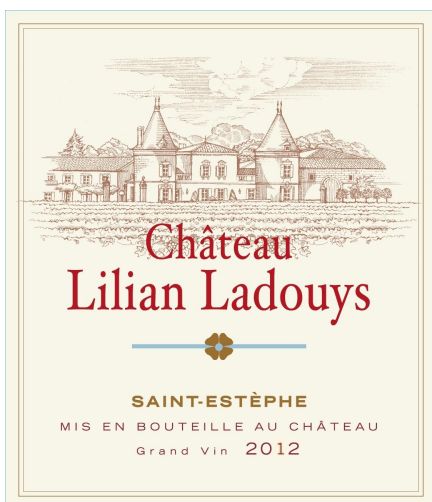
Alcohol content: 13.1 ABV

TECHNICAL DATA

Residual Sugar (g/l): 0.2 g/l
Acidity (g/l): 4.9 g/l
pH: 3.77
Age of vines: 35 years old years old
Yield: 33hL/ha hL/ha
Production volume: 1425 hL

TASTING NOTES

Château Lilian Ladouys 2012 has a deep and intense purple color. On nose, it develops complex notes of red currant, Mirabelle plum, incense and toasted hazelnut. After aeration, it exhibits some greedy flavors of marshmallow. A beautiful freshness. The palate is dense and chalky, voluptuous and full-bodied. An amazing aromatic length, it reveals notes of violet and pepper still intermixed with marshmallow flavors. Tasted at the Château in March 2014



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REVIEWS AND AWARDS

Wine Spectator

88/100

"Fresh, forward plum, blackberry and black cherry fruit bounces along in this red, backed by modest savory and briar notes. A toasted spice edge frames the open-knit finish."

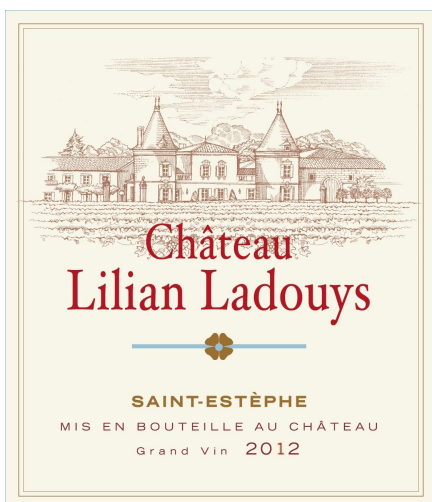
Wine Spectator, 01/03/2015

JAMES SUCKLING.COM

89/100

"This red shows black cherries with mineral and cedar notes on the nose, following through to a full body with chewy tannins, good acidity and a long finish."

James Suckling, 01/03/2015



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