

FAMILLE DÜRRBACH

Domaine de Trévallon rouge 1989

AOC Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence Les Baux.

PRESENTATION

Trévallon is known for its long aging process, more than 2 years for its reds. Racking is kept to a strict minimum, the lees found at the bottom of the barrels continue to nourish the wine during the ageing process

THE VINTAGE

Beautiful vintage!

LOCATION

North Alpilles

TERROIR

Limestone and clay soil, very stony: Hauterivian et Barremian, second stage of the lower Cretaceous, less than 130 million years

IN THE VINEYARD

Beginning of the harvest: 11 September. End of the harvest: 23 September

WINEMAKING

No de-stemming, yeasting or sulphur. Ageing 18 months in foudres and barrels. Fining with fresh egg white. No filtration before bottling.

VARIETALS

Cabernet sauvignon 60%, Syrah 40%

SERVING

Decant before tasting and serve at 16°C Aging potential of 30 years

TASTING

April 2005: Dominated by the cabernet sauvignon, the 1989 has a very classic style. It is currently showing very well but there is no hurry. It will be at its peak in 5-8 years September 2013: Still very good!

