



Southern Rhône, Domaine des Escaravailles, Les Antimagnes, AOC Côtes du Rhône, Rouge

AOC Côtes du Rhône, Vallée du Rhône, France

Family estate owned by the Ferran family for 4 generations, founded in 1953 by Jean-Louis Ferran and managed since 1999 by his grandson Gilles, and joined by Gilles's daughter Madeline in 2018. The estate owes its name to the Occitan word "escaravay", which means "beetle", nickname that dates back to the 17th century. Vineyard in appellation Rasteau and Cairanne. The estate is mainly composed of old vines, that naturally produces a low yield. Next step: organic certification!

PRESENTATION

Wine to share with some friends!

TFRROIR

This wine comes from the place called "Les Antimagnes" in Villedieu, with clay-limestone soils. This area, located at an altitude of 340 m, is bordered by woods, which protect the vines and bring freshness to the wine.

WINEMAKING

Manual harvest with sorting of the grapes in the vineyard. Total de-stemming then fermentation in concrete vats, each variety is worked separately. Vatting time of 28 to 35 days with daily punching down and pumping over.

AGEING

The wines are aged in concrete tanks for 9 months before bottling.

VARIETALS

Grenache noir 70%, Syrah 30%

SERVING

16°C/61°F

AGEING POTENTIAL

Enjoy all year long, 3 to 5 years

TASTING

Purple red color. We discover a greedy nose of figs and fresh mint. The mouth is round, silky and fruity, associated with spicy notes of white pepper and nutmeg. A wine of pleasure, to share with friends.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Duck breast with honey - Delicious braised lactares - Grilled lamb chops and grilled potatoes - Brie de Meaux - Dark chocolate pie.

REVIEWS AND AWARDS

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