



CHRISTOPHE PICHON

AOP Hermitage
Red

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PRESENTATION

Passing through the door of Maison Christophe Pichon is jumping feet first into the history of the thousand-year-old vineyards of the northern Rhône Valley. The grandiose terraced landscapes of Côte-Rôtie, Condrieu, and Saint-Joseph seem to have been imagined by stone giants as a monumental staircase sculpted to reach the sky. Nestled at the foot of these steep hillsides in the town of Chavanay, the estate tells the story of three generations who, each in their own turn, have helped to make these magical terroirs known and continue to highlight this exceptional historical agricultural heritage. Christophe, tireless ambassador of northern Rhône wines, took over the vines from Philippe,

VARIETAL

Syrah 100%

LOCATION

The Hermitage appellation located on the left bank of the Rhône, is planted on the entire production area. It produces white wines (35%) and red wines (65%) in the municipalities of Tain l'Hermitage, Crozes-Hermitage, and Larnage in the Drôme. Vineyards on hillsides with brown limestone clay loam soils that bring finesse, elegance, depth, and an incomparable aging potential to the wine.

Age of vines: 50 years old

TERROIR

Clayey limy limestone, on a hillside.

HARVEST

Harvest: Manual.

AGEING

18 months in new barrels including 30% new oak.

SERVING

17°C -> 63°F

AGEING POTENTIAL

5 to 10 years

TASTING

Deep ruby red color Intense and complex nose with hints of red fruits such as blackcurrant and blackberry and spicy notes of white pepper Round and supple palate, supported by a light woody note.

FOOD PAIRINGS

This wine pairs smoothly with duck, roasted duckling, and a rack of lamb.

PRODUCTION VOLUME

4,500



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