



Southern Rhône

BRUNOLAFON
wine selection



Xavier Vignon, Xavier, AOP Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Red

AOP Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Vallée du Rhône, France

Xavier inherited from his parents two fundamental values: the love for a job well done and the capacity to transmit knowledge. His in-depth knowledge, his mentors, all the vintners have been working with and his incredible memory have been forging his style and identity : terroir driven, fruity and complex wines supported by freshness and minerality. Each cuvee under the Arcane series is the solo expression of a vintage, a grape or a terroir.

PRESENTATION

Covered by a sea of blond pebbles, the vineyards of Châteauneuf-du-Pape offer a unique and timeless landscape. Tradition dictates that wines are made from thirteen grape varieties, each bringing its own distinctive character to the whole.

LOCATION

78 parcels contributed to elaborate this wine, mainly located on the northern terroirs of the appellation, in order to preserve freshness.

TERROIR

Rolled pebble soil, with sand and limestone.

WINEMAKING

Each grape variety is vinified separately. A slow fermentation will provide a better extraction of phenolic compounds.

AGEING

Matured for 12 months in barrels of 1, 2 and 3 wines.

VARIETALS

Grenache noir 65%, Mourvèdre 20%, Syrah 15%

14,5 % VOL.

GM: No.

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

SERVING

15°C/ 59°F

AGEING POTENTIAL

Over 10 years

TASTING

Deep ruby color is followed by a complex, elegant red that has medium to full body, good acidity, and classic notes of garrigue, leather, underbrush, and ripe red and black fruits. It's a beautifully textured, elegant, and balanced effort to drink over the coming decade.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Grilled rib of beef



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