



Southern Rhône

BRUNOLAFON
wine selection



Domaine les Pères de l'Eglise, AOP Côtes-du-Rhône , White

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Domaine des Pères de L'Église has a long history in the Southern Rhône Valley as the family has been involved in grape growing and wine making in the region dating back to 1884. However, the modern era for the property is quite recent with the start of high quality wines only beginning to take place with the 2007 vintage. Stepping back just a bit, prior to the birth of Domaine des Pères de L'Église in 1978, the estate was known as Domaine de Saints Pères.

PRESENTATION

Today, the property is owned by the Gradassi family. Until 1998 the production was sold to negociants but then the two brothers Serge and Jean-Paul Gradassi started bottling at the estate. They have earned reputation for making amazing wines by the name Le Calise de Saint Pierre. When Jean-Paul passed away in 2014, daughter Laetitia (with wine education and experience in Australia and New Zealand) took over with her uncle Serge.

LOCATION

Four cardinal points of the Châteauneuf du Pape appellation. The Domaine covers the four main terroirs of the appellation: sand, limestone, clay and galets roulés.

TERROIR

Galigières limestone terroir.

VINIFICATION

Fermented 100% in 500L barrels with batonnages.

AGEING

Aged for 12 months in the same barrels.

VARIETALS

Grenache Noir Blanc 70%, Clairette 20%, Bourboulenc 5%, Roussane 5%

14,5 % VOL.

GM: No.

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

SERVING

12°C / 54°F

AGEING POTENTIAL

5 to 10 years



TASTING

This white offers crisp yellow-peach and lemon flavors. Silken in texture but refreshingly spry. The delicate aromas of white pepper and spring blossoms immediately intrigue, and the flavors don't disappoint. This wine is floral, spicy and fruity all at once, with a long, mouthwatering finish, full of savory hints of wild herbs and crushed mineral.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Poultry, cheese, seafood.

REVIEWS AND AWARDS

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