



Northern Rhône

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wine selection



Northern Rhône, Julien Pilon, De l'autre rive, Vin de France, Rouge

Vin de France, VSIG, France

Julien Pilon is a winemaker located in the Northern Rhône, near Condrieu. He studied winemaking and worked with people like Yves Cuilleron, Mas Amiel and Pierre-Jean Villa, and finally started his own project from scratch, making his first vintage in 2010 in his parent's garage. Step by step, he built his own brand, up to the point of purchasing his own cellar in the summer of 2020. Julien Pilon's estate is a modest 5 hectares, the rest of the production is sourced from his neighbors.

PRESENTATION

This cuvée comes originally from the very first plot that Julien started to work on. As its name suggests, it is located on the left bank of the Rhône... on the other bank (literal translation of de l'autre rive).

TERROIR

Vine planted on clay soils, founded, with rolled pebbles.

IN THE VINEYARD

From an old vine located on the left bank of the Rhône, opposite the town of Condrieu.

WINEMAKING

The grapes are completely destemmed and vinified in open stainless steel vats.

The vatting lasts for 3 weeks with short but frequent pumping over.

No treading. After devatting, the malolactic fermentation takes place in barrels.

AGEING

10 months in used barrels.

VARIETAL

Syrah 100%

13 % VOL.

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

SERVING

16°C/61°F

AGEING POTENTIAL

2 to 3 years

TASTING

An expressive Syrah, with notes of red fruits and liquorice, the palate is supple with fine, well-melted tannins.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Aperitif, charcuterie, cheese, meat in sauce, red meat, game.



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