Northern Rhône

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# Northern Rhône, Julien Pilon, Rue des poissoniers, Paris XVIIIe, AOC Saint-Joseph, Rouge

AOC Saint-Joseph, Vallée du Rhône, 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

Address that means something for Julien and reminds him, sometimes with joy, sometimes with melancholy, of my loved ones who have passed away.

TERROIR

Granite sands

# IN THE VINEYARD

This cuvée comes from a blend of plots located in the northern part of the appellation.

## WINEMAKING

The grapes harvested by hand are totally destemmed and crushed. Vinification in open stainless steel vats lasts about 3 weeks with frequent pumping over.

# AGEING

2 months in barrels of 225L and 500L including 10% new oak.

# 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

5 to 10 years

#### TASTING

With a very beautiful color intensity, the wine presents a nose of red fruits and spices. The mouth, full, presents a beautiful creamy structure.

#### FOOD PAIRINGS

Meats in sauce, red meat, game.





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