

Cote Rotie `Cote Blonde` Dom. Rene Rostaing 2019



Producer

Businessman and winemaker Rene Rostaing has parcelled together almost 20 plots of vineyard in Cote Rotie with vineyard sites in La Landonne, La Vialliere and Cote Blonde, each possessing its own distinct characteristics. He has also mastered the neighbouring appellation of Condrieu, produced from the rare and fragrant Viognier grape variety. In 1996 Rene purchased a small estate in the Languedoc. It's 12ha of limestone garrigue are planted with red and white Rhone varieties, traditionally vinified with meticulous care from low yields.

Tasting Notes

A premium wine with an intense perfume of violets, cherries and lavender. The palate is full bodied and opulent with a smooth, velvety texture. A complex wine full of succulent black fruits such as cherries, berries and plums with mature notes of earth, game and tobacco. Grippy tannins and oak ageing added structure to the wine. The finish repeats the bramble fruit, violets and spice flavours which linger on the palate.

Food

Best served alongside roasted game such as pheasant, woodcock or guineafowl.

Technical Information

Country	France	Dry/Sweet Style	Not applicable	
Grape(s)	Syrah (95%) Viognier (5%)	Alcohol Content	14.5%	
Type	Red	Closure Style	Cork	
Style	Spicy	Organic/Biodynamic	No	
Oaked Style	Oaked	Allergens	Milk:	No
Body Style	Medium bodied		Egg:	No
Sustainable	No	Vegetarian/Vegan	Vegetarian:	No
			Vegan:	No



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