

Château La Nerthe

CLOS DE BEAUVENIR 2019



HISTORY

One of the oldest and largest estate of Châteauneuf du Pape extending over 90 ha (220 acres) around the castle. The vineyard of Château La Nerthe was born in the XIVth century when vine culture spread over the area. Château La Nerthe, based on the work of Commander Joseph Ducos who was the owner of the estate after the phylloxera crisis, is at the root of the Châteauneuf du Pape vineyard as we know it. Baron Leroy de Boiseaumarié, from that experience, established in 1936 the first French 'Appellation d'Origine Contrôlée' in Châteauneuf du Pape.

APPELLATION

Châteauneuf du Pape AOP

BLENDING

Grenache blanc 65 % - Roussanne 35 %

TERROIR

Loamy sandy soils dotted with large pebbles for finesse and aromatic expression. The presence near one of the few natural spring of the Châteauneuf du Pape designation as well as secular woods creates microclimate, warm in the day but cool at night, which allows to obtain a white with strong personality.

ALCOHOL %

14.00

BOTTLING DATE

May 5th, 2020

PRODUCTION

100 cases (9L)

AGEING

Our grapes are hand picked fully ripe just to keep balance and full aromatic expression. While Grenache Blanc fermentation is done in 100% demi-muid, the Roussanne fermentation takes place in small barrels (1/3 of new oak) in order to be aged on fine lees for almost 7 months (85% demi-muid & 15% new oak barrels). Final blending will be done just before the bottling.

TASTING NOTES

Nice pale yellow color with green tints and a lot of brilliance. The nose of this Châteauneuf du Pape blanc is intense on white flowers, citrus and anised scents. On the palate a perfect balance, contrast with the freshness and the richness. Oak is fine, elegant and well integrated. The finish is long, complex, persistant with mineral and zesty touch.

FOOD PAIRING

A perfect complement to full- flavored shellfish and poultry dishes, veal, pork as well as strong & old cheeses.

TEMPERATURE

10 to 12°C

DRINK DATE

2021-2029



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All our wines are certified organic by Ecocert (Wines made from organically grown grapes - FR-BIO01).