

# La Nerthe

## LES CASSAGNES ROUGE 2019

### AOP CÔTES DU RHÔNE VILLAGES



#### HISTORY.

The ancient Côtes-du-Rhône Villages vineyards of LES CASSAGNES are located in Sérignan-du-Comtat in Domaine de la Renjarde and managed by the Château La Nerthe team with the same passion and experience for which the esteemed Châteauneuf-du-Pape estate is recognized.

#### BLENDING.

Syrah (50%), Grenache noir (30%), Mourvèdre (15%), Others (5%)  
This Cuvée is made from our most representative & qualitative plots (Average vine age - 40+ years).

#### TERROIR.

Different type of soils with sand, clay and shards of calcareous rocks providing a high quality of natural filtration and create fleshy and balanced wines.

#### ALCOHOL.

15% vol.

#### DATE OF BOTTLING.

June 5th, 2020

#### PRODUCTION.

10 000 cases (9L)

#### VINIFICATION & ELEVAGE

Hand picked at perfect maturity, grapes are sorted when arriving in the cellar. Co-fermentation of the 3 varieties during a 3-week-maceration: extraction is done by soft methods to respect the brightness of the fruit and their tannic quality. Final blending will age in stainless steel tank on fine lees for 9 months before bottling.

#### TASTING NOTES.

Power, structure and color are undoubtedly the signatures of the 2019 vintage.

Deep purple color with violet hints. Very expressive on the nose: the attack is round, dominated by Syrah (Floral notes of violet and spices) but thanks to tannins of excellent maturity, Grenache shows a dense, robust but supple structure. Very good length on the palate, full ripeness and a fine tannic extraction gives this balanced wine a significant ageing potential, a sure bet for the coming years.

#### TEMPERATURE.

14 to 16°C

#### DRINK DATE.

2020-2025



*L'ensemble du vignoble est certifié « Culture Biologique » par l'organisme Ecocert depuis 2013.*

