Xavier Vignon Chateauneuf-du-Pape Rouge Cuvee Anonyme
Xavier Vignon Vins
France - Rhone Valley - Chateauneuf du Pape AOC

One of Xavier Vignon's first almost anonymous blends only in MAGNUMS !

The grapes come from "collection vines", where many grape varieties are planted together, making it difficult to identify the exact share of each variety: grenache, vaccarese, counoise, mourvèdre, terret noir and muscardin.

Partially destemmed and vinified in a mix of demi-muids and tank, it offers a beautifully pure, vibrant bouquet of black raspberries, white and black pepper, candied orange, and violets. Complex, layered, and nuanced, this beauty is medium to full-bodied, has a seamless texture, and a great finish. It has both elegance and richness, and will keep for 15+ years.

Specifications

Appellation	Chateauneuf du Pape AOC
Wine Type	Red
Varietals	60% Grenache, 15% Mourvedre, 10% Syrah and the rest is "field blend" with the following grapes : grenache, vaccarese, counoise, mourvèdre, terret noir and muscardin.
Age of Vines	Between 60 and 80 years old
Soil type	All the Châteauneuf-du-Pape terroirs are represented in this cuvée, for a great complexity and a beautiful minerality.
Vinification	Partially destemmed. Many precautions have been taken to preserve the elegance and finesse of the skin tannins by limiting the extraction of seed tannins as much as possible. The aging of 18 months was done 1/3 in concrete tanks, 1/3 in wooden vats (foudre) and 1/3 in half-casks (no new oak).
Production	500 (9-liter cases)
Pairings	Duck in sauce with olives. Ravioli with porcini mushrooms, cream of parsnip and bacon crisps. Partridge leg confit with olive oil.

Codes, Weights and Measures

UPC	7 84585 03049 1
Units/Case	3
Unit Size	1500 mL
Container	bottle
SCC	1 07 84585 03049 8
Case Weight	19

Cases/Pallet	96
Layers/Pallet	8
ABV	15.00%
SRP	$ 140.99 USD 1500mL Bottle

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