Xavier Vignon Arcane l'Etoile Beaumes de Venise Rouge Xavier Vignon Vins

France - Rhone Valley - Beaumes de Venise AOC

All the wines from the Arcane range are limited edition. They are the reflection of something extraordinary that happened in the vineyard. The Arcane Etoile is a multi vintage blend from 2015-2016-2017 that reveals the complexity and remarkable freshness of these high altitude Beaumes de Venise terroirs. Maceration with viognier skins.

The Beaumes de Venise terroir neighbours Gigondas and Vacqueyras. These Triassic soils (sand, limestone, clay) at the foothills of the Dentelles Sarrasines and the Grand Montmirail were specifically chosen for their high altitude (up to 600 metres above sea level) in order to impart freshness and elegance to the wine. The objective here was freshness and counterbalancing the impact of global warming.

It has something profound in its texture and balance. Notes of black raspberries, currants, dried flowers, lavender, and pepper are followed by a beautiful, full-bodied, elegant wine.

Specifications	
Appellation	Beaumes de Venise AOC
Wine Type	Red
Varietals	70% Grenache, 20% Syrah and 10% Mourvèdre.
Age of Vines	Average 40 years
Agricultural Practices	Sustainable
Soil type	Triassic soils (sand, limestone, clay).
Vinification	Long maceration (over a month) without mechanic extraction. The viognier skins are left in contact with the wine during maceration. Aged for 15 months in: 1/3 new barrels (French and Austrian oak with a light level of toast) 1/3 small concrete vats 1/3 tuns
Production	5,000 (9-liter cases)
Pairings	Porcini mushrooms in red wine - Foie gras - Piglet and prune stew - Honey glazed duck breast - Grilled swordfish - Dauphinois potatoes - Creamy garlic lentil and kale bake - Brie with walnuts



Codes, Weights and Measures	
UPC	7 84585 02603 6
Units/Case	12
Unit Size	750 mL

Container	bottle
scc	1 07 84585 02603 3
Case Weight	46
Cases/Pallet	56
Layers/Pallet	14
ABV	15.00%
SRP	\$ 45.99 USD 750mL Bottle

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