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Scirocco (shi-rò-ko): The dictionary defines scirocco or sirocco wind as ‘a hot dust-laden wind from the Libyan deserts that blows on the northern Mediterranean coast.’ / In Italy and to the Italians, it’s so much more than that. The almighty South Easterly not only affects vineyards and vintage from Sicily up through France but it possesses an almost deity-like persona to the Italians (particularly the Sicilians) who both have an admiration and simultaneous fear of it’s fortitude.

ITALY

PIEMONTE:

Ettore Germano (Serralung d'Alba)

Parusso (Monforte d'Alba)

Giovanni Corino (La Morra)

Gaja (Barbaresco)

La Spinetta (Castagnole delle Lanze)

Linea Retta (Langhe)

Contratto (Alta Langa)

TUSCANY:

La Spinetta (Terriciola)

Linea Retta (Chianti)

Sesta di Sopra (Montalcino)

Pieve Santa Restituta - Gaja (Montalcino)

Ca' Marcanda - Gaja (Bolgheri)

Castellaccio (Bolgheri)

LOMBARDY :

Camilucci (Franciacorta)

VENETO:

Monte Santoccio (Valpolicella)

Gianni Tessari (Soave)

CAMPANIA:

Rocca del Principe

SARDEGNA:

Mora e Memo

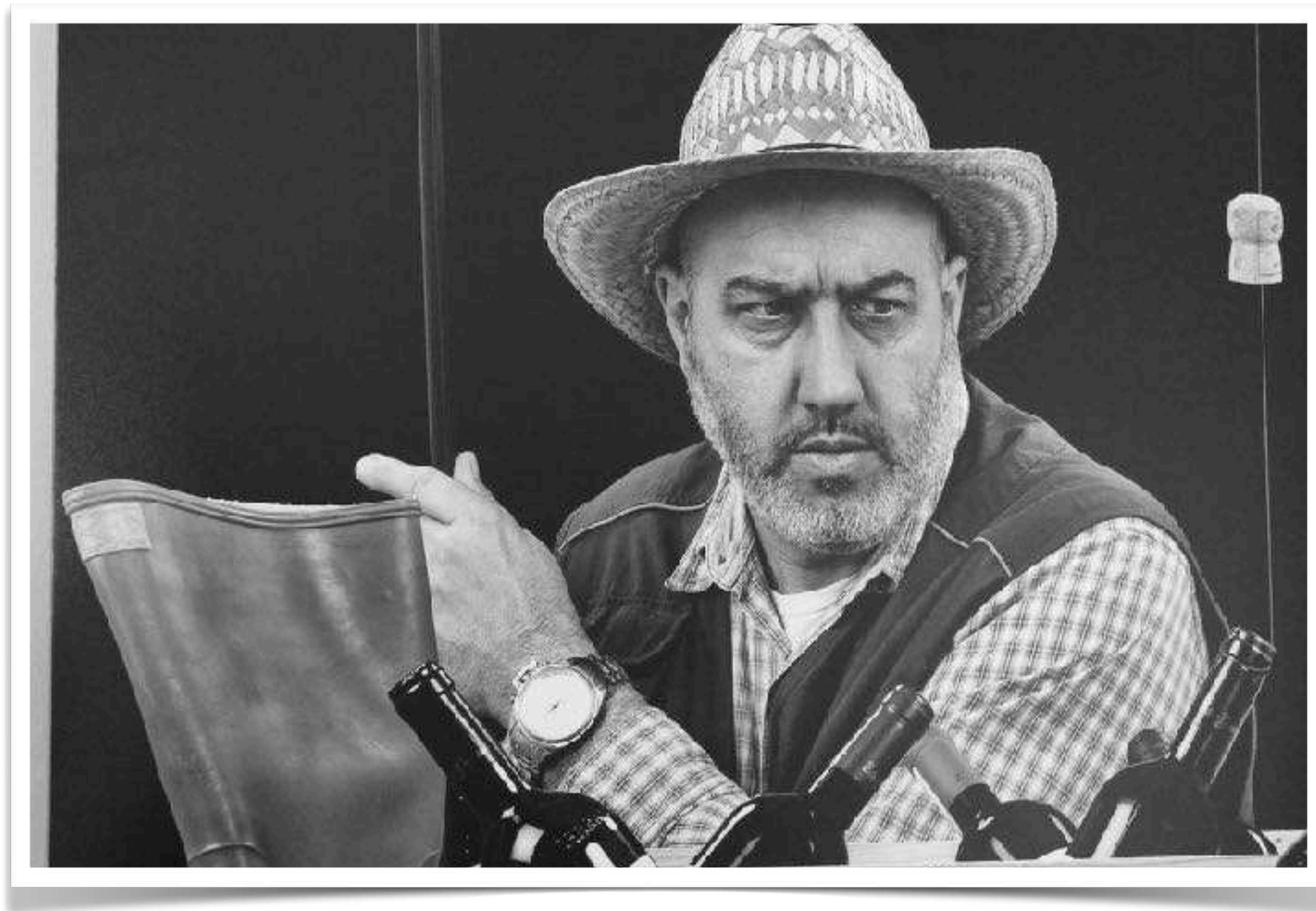
SICILIA:

Federico Curtaz (Etna)

Linea Retta (Etna)

Idda (Etna)

Ettore Germano



ETTORE GERMANO- SERRALUNGA D'ALBA

About Sergio Germano, Owner & Winemaker of Ettore Germano:

My ideal winemaker in a traditional appellation like Barolo has the scientific understanding of winemaking that his predecessors lacked, while still respecting the traditions that they developed. Sergio Germano is just such a winemaker, and his Serralunga Barolos will never be creamy, international-style wines. Great wine is always made in the vineyard, and Sergio does much of the fieldwork himself, with the help of his wife Elena and a small crew. Some of the wines are 100% traditional, made with long macerations and big barrels, and some are made with medium-sized barrels, but they all express the best of these local grape varieties.

Wine	Vintage
Nascetta	2020
Riesling	2020
Langhe Nebbiolo	2022
Barolo Prapò	2018 (limited)
Barolo Riserva Vigna Rionda	2018
Barolo Lazzarito Riserva	2017

PARUSSO - MONFORTE D'ALBA

Winemaker Marco Parusso:

“My grandfather started in Barolo as a farmer, with 2 hectares. Then my father, in the 70’s, made his first wine but we still depended on the farm. In 1985/86 I graduated from winemaking school, but I didn’t like wine at all. Drinking a good wine was something difficult to find. Then a good friend of mine at the time, a doctor, introduced me to wines from Burgundy and it was there that I found my inspiration as a winemaker.”

Wine	Vintage
Dolcetto d’Alba	2022
Barbera d’Alba	2022
Langhe Nebbiolo	2022
Barolo Perarmando	2020
Barolo Bussia	2019
Barolo Bussia Riserva	2014



Parusso



CORINO



GIOVANNI CORINO - LA MORRA

A US wine importer and journalist walks through Giacchini vineyard in La Morra with Giuliano Corino:

“The purity and intensity of all the wines are remarkable at every level. I openly confess to Giuliano that their wines are amazingly inexpensive. Giuliano jokes, ‘ok, next year we’ll put a 10% increase.’ Tasting the flagship cru Giachini, I am rendered speechless. Their neighbor, Elio Altare comes to our table after tasting the 1990 Giachini and confesses, ‘you do even better work than I do.’ Ever humble and demure in his manner, Giuliano shrugs off such flattery but does not reject Elio’s proposition.” - Robert Panzer, Down To Earth Wines

Both Steven Tanzer and Antonio Galloni consistently recognize Corino Barolos among the finest value in cru Barolo, scoring 93 and 94 points amongst all three cru virtually every year.

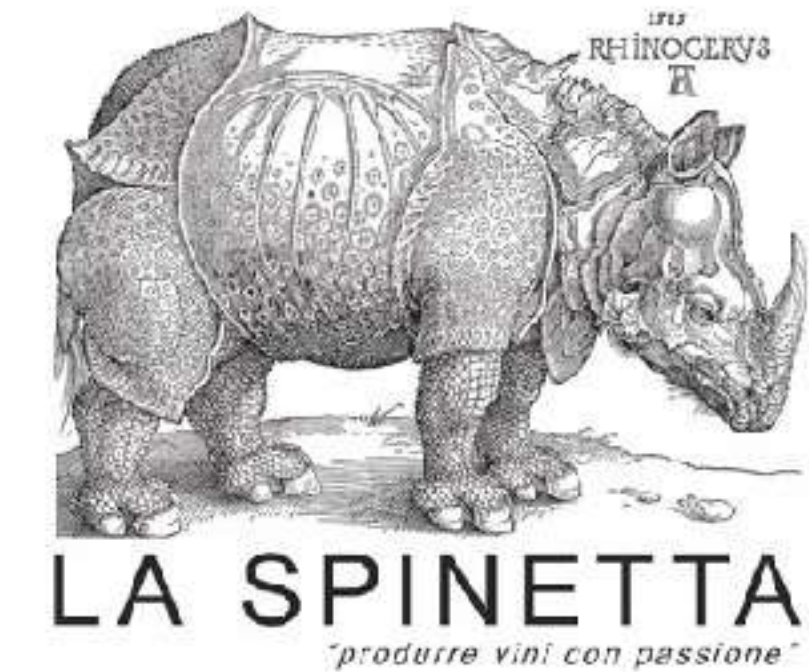
Wine	Vintage
Dolcetto d’Alba	2022
Barbera d’Alba	2022
Langhe Nebbiolo	2022
Barolo <i>Comune di La Morra</i>	2020
Barolo <i>Giachini</i>	2018
Barolo <i>Arborina</i>	2019

LA SPINETTA- CASTAGNOLE DELLE LANZE (LANGHE)

Giorgio Rivetti, co-owner & winemaker at La Spinetta:

“We are farmers. That means first and foremost we respect the land. We don't kill it using chemicals or over-produce. We work with our hands, organically, and patiently.” Giorgio recounts his first vintage of Barbaresco: “A few well-known Barolo producers came over to me very concerned as they couldn't believe how few grapes I had left on the vines. They thought I was crazy and throwing away money. But I knew from the start the kind of quality that I wanted in all of my wines. And nothing has changed since.”

Wine	Vintage
Timorasso	2022
Barbera d'Asti Superiore Bionzo	2019
Barbera d'Asti Superiore Ca di Pian	2020
Monferrato Rosso “Pin”	2018
Langhe Nebbiolo	2022
Barbaresco “Starderì”	2020
Barbaresco “Gallina”	2020
Barbaresco “Valeirano”	2020
Barolo “Garetti”	2019

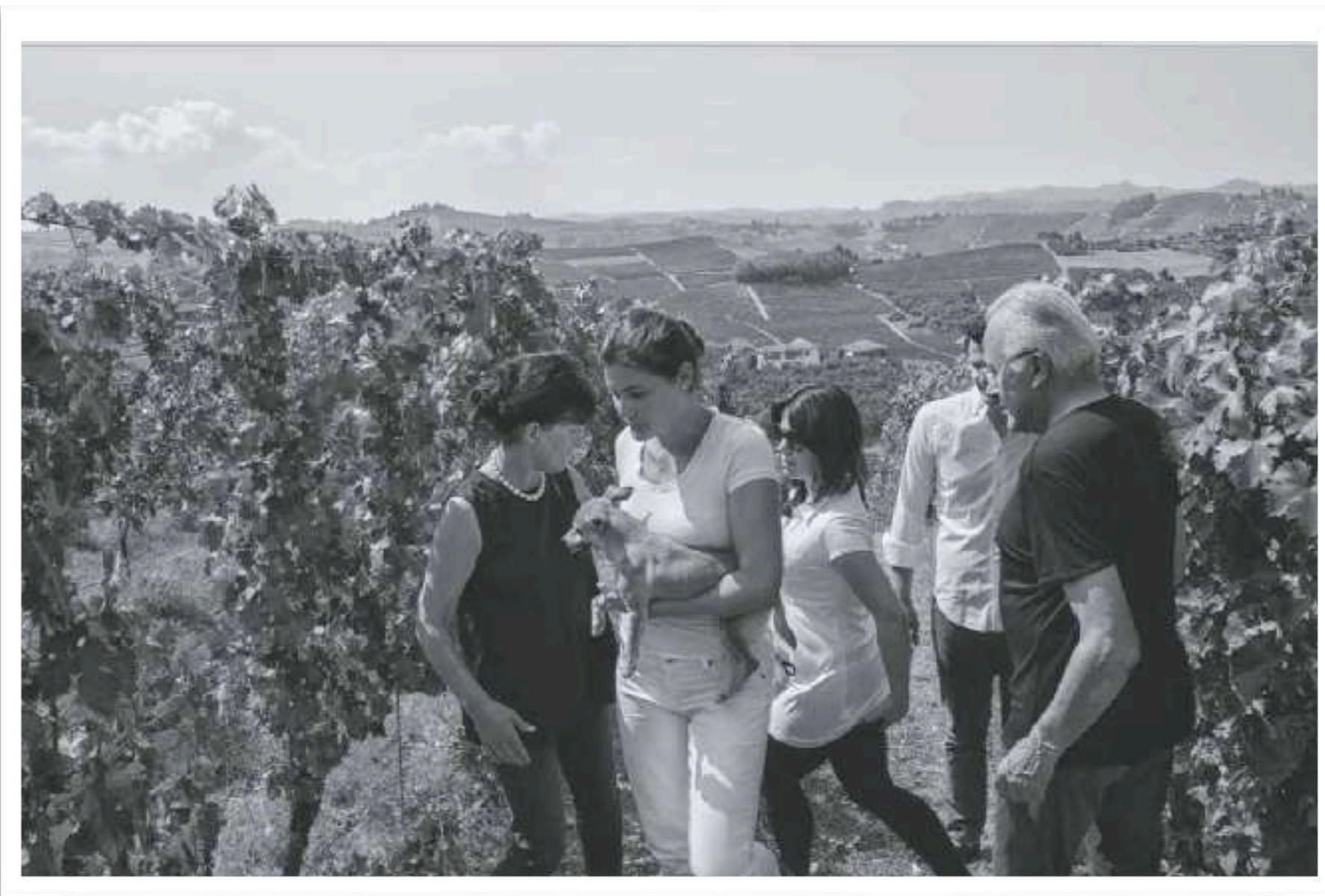


GAJA- BARBARESCO

GAJA

Gaia Gaja:

“My wine hero is my father, naturally, but also my grandfather, who passed away in 2002. I remember as a child watching the way he was tasting wine and the respect he had for every sip. He would go into the kitchen where we always had at least one bottle of Barbaresco open and he would pour two fingers of wine into the glass, never any more. And he would sniff and sniff, sip, and sniff and this process took forever! Then he would go back to the bottle again, pour two more fingers, put the cork back in, and start again. He would even do this with our guests, only pouring 2 fingers at a time, and some people didn’t like this. But looking back now, I have such admiration for the way he was respecting and cherishing every drop of wine.”



Wine	Vintage
Rossj Bass- Chardonnay 95%, SB 5%	2022
Sito Moresco- Nebbiolo, Merlot, Barbera, Cabernet Sauvignon	2021
Darmagi Langhe DOP - Cabernet Sauvignon	2019
Darmagi Langhe DOP - Cabernet Sauvignon	2020
Conteisa Barolo DOP	2019
Sperrs Barolo DOP	2019
Costa Russi Barbaresco DOP	2020
Sori Tilden Barbaresco DOP	2020
Sori San Lorenzo Barbaresco DOP	2020

CONTRATTO - ALTA LANGA

Giorgio Rivetti - owner & head winemaker of Contratto:

“One of my biggest problems is that I love Champagne. I love bubbles, I always have. So when the opportunity presented itself to buy Contratto, I didn’t think twice. It’s always been my dream to make great Metodo Classico (Champagne-method) wines in Piedmont.”

“The first thing we did was buy all new vineyards and plant new vines. 70% Pinot Noir, 30% Chardonnay. All of the vines are planted between 820-840 meters above sea-level. Just as we do in Barolo and Barbaresco, the most important thing to make these amazing wines is to find the balance in the fruit. If you can grow beautiful fruit and harvest the fruit at the perfect moment when the grapes have the right balance between acidity, longevity, minerality, sweetness, my job in the cellar becomes much easier.”

Riserva Special Cuvée 2010 - 96 points - Monica Lariner, Wine Advocate
Contratto Millesimato Pas Dose 2012 - 93 points - Monica Lariner, Wine Advocate
Contratto For England Blanc de Blancs 2012 - 94 points - Monica Lariner, Wine Advocate

Wine	Vintage
Millesimato Pas dosè	2019
Novecento Pas dosè (100 months on Lees)	2013
Special Cuveè Pas dosè	2013
For England Blanc de Noirs	2017
For England Rosè	2017





CONTRATTO - CANELLI (ASTI)

Giorgio Rivetti - on why spirits:

“It’s very important to remember that sparkling wine and Vermouth have always grown up together. Before the fancy technology we have today, when the “champagne” was degorged, the wine that spilled out was collected in a bowl. Then when they finished all of the bottles, they didn't want to waste anything (remember it was a time of war and we were very poor) so they would take the all of the spilt wine in the bowl and add sugar and herbs to it and they would have their wine for winter. This “winter wine” is what we know today as vermouth.

When we bought Contratto, we also inherited a book this thick of recipes for vermouths and “elixirs” from 1890-1930s. We are using the exact same recipes today - using only natural, organic herbs, seeds, roots, spices. Some of them we had to source out of Italy because they are no longer produced, but we wanted to respect the recipes and those who created them.”



Spirits/Vermouth	ABV%
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Vermouth Bianco	10.8
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Vermouth Rosso	17.0
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Aperitif	13.5
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for Contrattino (the Contratto “Spritz”):

1 Part Contratto Aperitif

1 Part Contratto Millesimato pas dosè

Garnish with a green olive or a slice of lemon

La Spinetta - Terricciola (Northern Tuscany)



You're Piemontese, why make wines in Tuscany?

Winemaker/Owner Giorgio Riveetti:

“I needed to prove a point. One dinner, after many glasses of wine, a great friend of mine and I had a discussion where he insisted that in Tuscany it was impossible to make great Chianti without adding other grape varietals. I strongly disagreed with him and we had a big argument. The following morning the conversation was still weighing on my mind so my brothers Bruno, Carlo and I decided to go on a road trip and see if we could find a piece of land that intrigued us and could lend itself to our experiment. That was in 2000. My friend today is also convinced that you can make fantastic Chianti with 100% Sangiovese. It's been very exciting for me as a winemaker to make wine in new soil, to learn more about Sangiovese and other indigenous varietals native to Tuscany. I must remember to thank him for his idea.”

Wine

Vintage

Rosè: 50% Sangiovese, 50% Prugnolo Gentile

2022

Nero di Casanova: 100% Sangiovese

2019

Chianti Riserva

2019

Sezzana “Super Tuscan”: 100% Sangiovese

2009

Sassontino “Super Tuscan”: 100% Sangiovese

2009

GAJA - MONTALCINO

Angelo Gaja:

“Elegance is a very difficult concept, it’s not so easy to understand. Look at the advertisements over the last 20-30 years. They are usually using the body of a man and a woman without dress. In this case, the body has to be perfect. Sometimes if it is more opulent it can seem better, but be careful! You have to think, the more the body is perfect, the more it can be manipulated.

Elegance doesn’t need perfection. So to me, elegant wine doesn’t need to be perfect. It shouldn’t be perfect. It is actually the imperfections in wine, the acidity, the tannins... these are what make the wine better and gives authenticity to the wine.”

Angelo Gaja named as the 2019 recipient of the Winemakers’ Winemaker award
Gaja was named one of the Wine Spectator’s Top 40 winemakers in the World
He received a Lifetime Achievement Award from Wine Enthusiast in 2015

Wine

Brunello di Montalcino

Brunello di Montalcino “Rennina”

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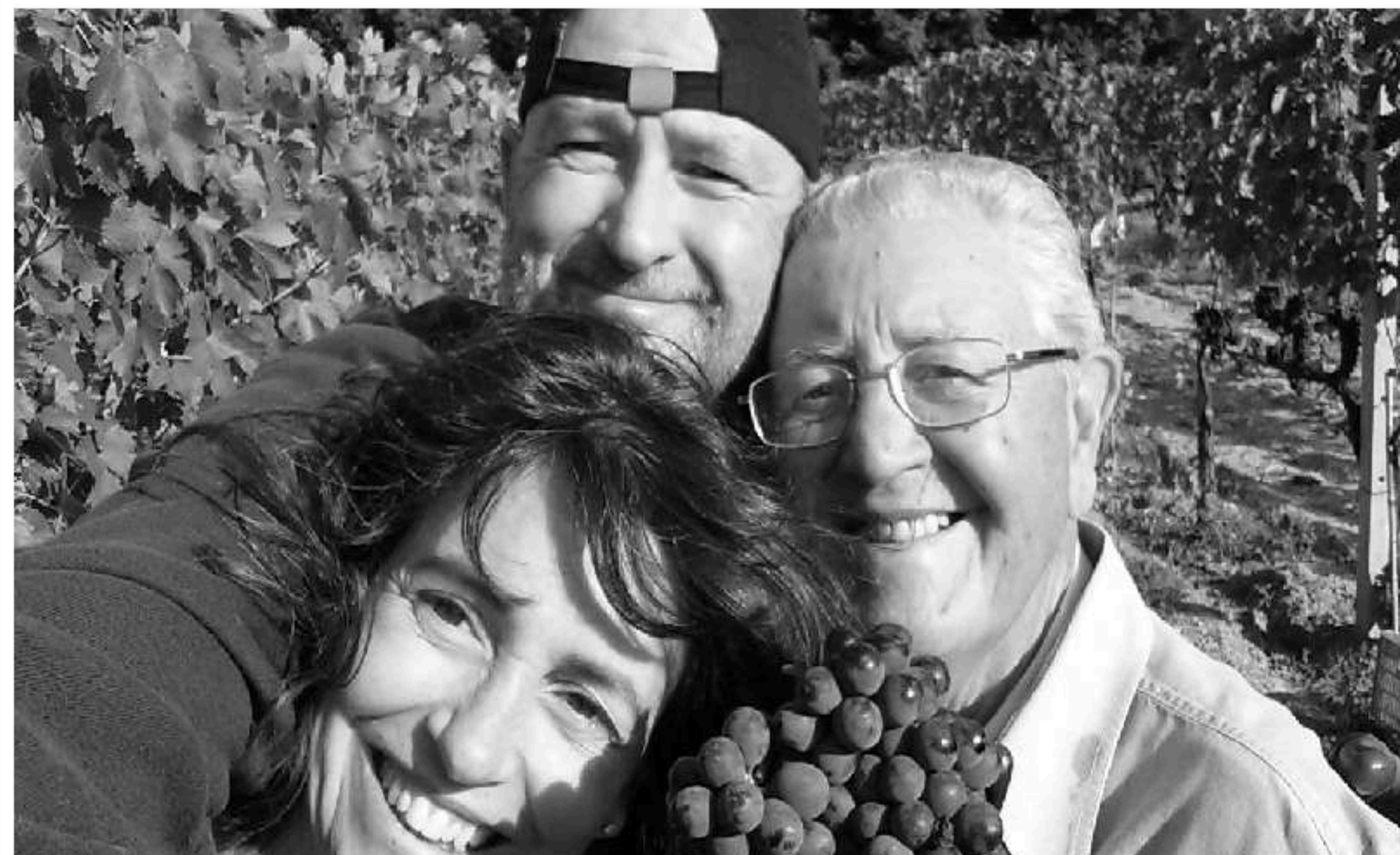
SESTA DI SOPRA- MONTALCINO

Ettore Spina - Owner & Winemaker:

“The winery was started by my wife, Enrica, and myself on our vacation property Montalcino from vines we planted 20 years earlier. We didn't want to complicate things so we only planted Sangiovese Grosso because we knew we could eventually sell off the grapes.

1999 was our first vintage and we were so surprised to get such amazing recognition. And we continue to be delighted with our continued support and reputation. This is never our objective, but we are flattered none the less. We make less than 12,000 bottles total which allows my wife to pamper our vines the same way she does with our children. Sometimes I even find her picking off all of the damaged grapes, one by one with tweezers.”

Wine	Vintage
Toscana Sangiovese IGT	2022
Rosso di Montalcino	2021
Brunello di Montalcino	2018



PODERE IL CASTELLACCIO- BOLGHERI

Alessandro Scappini, owner & winemaker Podere Il Castellaccio: Our vineyard is situated in Castagneto Carducci, in the Livorno area of Tuscany. We founded the winery in 2009, but the estate has belonged to my family since the 1960s while my grandparents used the land to make wine and sell the grapes.

We only have 3.5 hectares and our vines have an average age of 40 years. The older vineyards, occupying more than 2 hectares are planted to Tuscan natives: Sangiovese, Ciliegiolo, Foglia Tonda and Pugnitello. In 2014 almost a hectare of Cabernet Franc was planted and this vineyard is sited on steep hillside terrace.

Two years ago we made a request to obtain organic certification, which we achieved in 2018. We are now also a certified biodynamic producer. It's very important to us to make wines that are healthy and reflect our past while looking towards the future.

Wine	Vintage
Dinostro: Sangiovese	2021
Valènte: 70% Sangiovese, 10% Ciliegiolo, 10% Foglia Tonda, 10% Pugnitello	2019
Somatico: 100% Pugnitello	2020
Orio Bolgheri DOC: Cab Franc, Merlot, Syrah	2021
Bolgheri Superiore DOC: 100% Cabernet Franc	2019



Dinostro 2018- 90 points - Wine Spectator
Somatico 2018 - 93 points - James Suckling
Valènte 2017 - 94 points - James Suckling

CA' MARCANDA®



GAJA- BOLGHERI

Ca' Marcanda - It took so long (18 trips in all) to complete negotiations for the 1996 purchase of historic 250-acre Bolgheri estate that the Gaja family began to call it "ca' marcanda," the house of endless negotiations, from the Piedmontese dialect ca' (meaning casa or house) and marcandè (meaning mercanteggiare or to haggle).

While Gaja has shown with 'Darmagi' that he can make great Cabernet Sauvignon in Piedmont, he was compelled to try to compete with some of the great names of Italian wine when he arrived in Bolgheri just over 20 years ago. The winery and its vineyards are situated just south of Poggio al Tesoro and Ornellaia.

It took another six years before Gaja would complete the design and construction of a state-of-the-art winemaking facility. Today it is practically completely invisible – and becoming ever more so year after year. This is because the winery is built underground. The Ca' Marcanda winery was built from scratch – and completely dreamed up by Angelo; whereas Piedmont was built over five generations. This new winery was built exactly as he wanted it after 40 years of experience. The layout and design allow for the precision necessary to craft exceptional wines, albeit with minimal intervention.

Wine	Vintage
Vistamare:, Toscana IGP - 40% Vermentino, 40% Viognier, 20% Fiano	2022
Promis, Toscana IGP - 55% Merlot, 35% Syrah, 10% Sangiovese	2021
Magari, Bolgheri DOP - 60% Cab Sauv., 30% Cab Franc, 10% Petit Verdot	2021

Rocca del Principe - Lapio, Avellino

Ercole Zarrella, Owner & Winemaker:

“After growing up in the vineyards my entire life with my grandparents and parents, as soon as I took over our land the first thing I did was rip out the old vines and plant Fiano. It had just started to become popular as a dry, still wine rather than a sweet, sparkling wine, as it had been known before. My parents thought I was crazy, that Fiano was a fad that would soon die.

After 15 years of increasing popularity and selling the grapes to other producers, I decided I wanted to make my own wine. That was in 2004. Every year I am learning more, studying more. It’s important to me as an artisanal producer to make the best wine I can from my land. That doesn’t mean more but to constantly improve the wines we have, the vines, etc. And now my daughter has graduated from enology school and is helping in the cellar. I couldn’t be happier.”

Fiano d’Avelino “Tognano” 2017 - 3 Bicchieri - Gambero Rosso
Fiano d’Avellino 2018 - 92 points- Decanter
Best Emerging Winery 2008 - Gambero Rosso

Wine	Vintage
Fiano d’Avellino	2021
Fiano d’Avellino “Tognano” Riserva	2021
Aglianico Irpinia	2021





CAMILUCCI



CAMILUCCI - FRANCIACORTA

Camilucci and his wines are one of a kind and such a pleasure to have as part of our portfolio. We met Stefano several years ago at a wine fair where he first presented his exceptional Franciacorta. Before even pouring the first glass, you could hear the passion and the enthusiasm that Stefano has for his native territory and the wines that reflect it.

"In the tiny commune of Rodengo-Saiano Stefano Camilucci farms 18ha of vines organically on ancient, morainic, fossil-rich soils. He is making some of the most interesting and delicious Franciacorta wines we have ever tasted by doing exactly the opposite of what most other producers do. He never employs high levels of dosage or malolactic fermentation in production. His singular focus is creating laser-focused fresh, pure, complex wines that allow their place of origin to shine and so he enters into a very risky game of chicken with mother nature every year by harvesting every berry used in his wines late and then laying the fruit bare in the wines without high levels of residual sugar, oak, or malolactic fermentation to hide a flaw or soften a corner. It is a risky endeavor, but we would not want it any other way."- Le Storie Wines

Wine	Vintage
Ammonites Rosè Franciacorta Brut DOCG	2017
Ammonites Dosaggio Zero Franciacorta DOCG	NV
Ammonites Sàten Franciacorta Brut DOCG (85% Chardonnay/15%Pinot Blanc)	NV

MORA E MEMO - SARDEGNA

Elisabetta Pala, Owner & Winemaker:

“This winery was my dream. I used to walk these vineyards with my grandfather and my father as a little girl. I never had any other dream except to make wines that truly express the character of my land.

That is why I have chosen the bottle and labels that we did, using the female Morish found on the Sardinian flag. I believe our mascot on the label is a woman strongly linked to the memory and tradition of her land but always with an eye to the outside world.”

Aromas of white spring flower, tropical fruit, Mediterranean brush and sea breeze almost jump out of the glass. The juicy palate shows more restraint but reflects the nose, doling out pineapple, grapefruit and a tangy saline note alongside tangy acidity. It closes on a bitter-almond note.

Very elegant, very enjoyable. -Kerin O’Keefe

Wine

Vintage

Tino - Vermentino

2022

E’- Rosè - Isola dei Nuraghi

2022

MORA&MEMO





Monte Santoccio

MONTE SANTOCCIO - VALPOLICELLA

Nicola Ferrari, co-owner and winemaker:

In our wines you will find the true essence of the expression "terroir", aromas, colors, reflections; like a photo imprinted in your mind.

Tradition. Family. The connection with the land. These are the distinctive characteristics of Monte Santoccio, a family-run winery that extends for 4 hectares in one of the most beautiful hills of the Valpolicella: Monte Santoccio in Fumane. Winemaker Nicola Ferrari at the age of 26 began his experience at the prestigious Giuseppe Quintarelli winery, and since 2011 has cared for every aspect of his family's Monte Santoccio label at every level from vineyard to glass.

Wine	Vintage
Miss Rose	2022
Valpolicella Classico	2022
Valpolicella Classico Superiore	2020
Amarone della Valpolicella Classico	2018
Veronese 'Santoccio Rosso'	2020





GIANNI TESSARI - SOAVE



Gianni Tessari, owner and winemaker:

Producing a Soave DOC means to interpret not just the oenological characteristics but first of all the essence that an oenologist, like a sculptor, must extract from the grapes. It is being a wine of the origins, of traditions. About the history of a territory. Between the aromas of white flowers and light straw yellow color, emanates powerfully a sensation of familiarity: each sip is a memory, something known and already lived through.

Gianni was born in 1963 in Brognoligo, in the suburbs of Monteforte d'Alpone, province of Verona, and worked in the family vineyards from a very young age. After graduating from the Agricultural Institute he started working inside the winery, experimenting and learning what no book can teach: passion, curiosity, desire to discover and reach new goals. 2013 saw Gianni branch out on his own to create his own family label with his wife Annamaria and daughter Valeria. Gianni farms and crafts wines from three Veneto DOC - Lessini Durello, Colli Berici, and Soave. We love all the wines, but chose to start with the Soave DOC, which Gianni has described most poetically.

Wine Vintage

Soave DOC 2022

LINEA RETTA - GIORGIO RIVETTI AND LARRY CHERUBINO

A collaboration between Italy's Giorgio Rivetti of La Spinetta and Western Australia's own Larry Cherubino. The name 'Linea Retta' is an Italian expression meaning 'in a direct line' and refers to the two renowned winemakers' shared 'vineyard first' winemaking philosophy.

Giorgio works by the principle that 90% of a wine is made in the vineyard, and considers himself a traditionalist. He works with no herbicides or other chemicals and regards the use of barriques and rotofermenters not as instruments for making modern wine but for preserving the quality of the juice produced by the vineyards. Since leading the family's charge into red wines when he made a Barbera d'Asti in 1985, La Spinetta has become a leading force in both Piedmont and Tuscany.

Larry Cherubino has worked for or consulted to some of the biggest names in the world of wine, but it is under his own Cherubino labels that he explores the regions of Western Australia his way. He employs both traditional methods perfected over decades of winemaking, as well as throwing out the rulebook and bucking convention. His sustainably farmed sites grow classic varieties, as well as embracing less-familiar grapes with a big emphasis on Italian varietals.

Wine	Vintage
Gavi	2021
Toscana Vermentino	2021
Terre Siciliane Carricante	2021
Colli Tortonesi Timorasso	2021
Toscana Rosato	2021
Chainti Riserva DOCG	2020
Langhe Nebbiolo	2019
Langhe Nebbiolo	2020



LINEA RETTA



IDDA

Gaja's Sicilian label 'Idda' is a partnership between the Gaja family and the Graci family who are long established growers on Mount Etna, the collaboration began in 2016. Idda (she) is the local name for the active Mount Etna Volcano where the Carricante and Nerello Mascalese vines are grown on the volcanic soils of the Southern slopes at 600-800m/asl around the villages of Belpasso and Biancavilla where the new winery has been built.

Wine

Idda Bianco Sicilia DOP (Etna Carricante)

Idda Etna Rosso DOP (Nerello Mascalese)

Vintage

2022

2023 Coming Soon

GAJA - ETNA, SICILIA



FEDERICO CURTAZ



FEDERICO CURTAZ, ETNA, SICILIA

Winemaker, Federico Curtaz:

The decision to make wine in Sicily came after a very long adventure as a tourist in Sicily. The charm of the people and its history manifest itself here everyday, with visible traces of prior generations integrated with the generation today. From the theatre where the Ancient Greeks invented La Tragedia to the modern masterpiece of Gibellina, Il Cretto di Burri, every stone in Sicily has a story. So making in wine in Sicily came much later in my life as I was far too distracted with the thousands of things the island offered me as an explorer.

Sicily was an opportunity to be able to interpret a territory, through the fabric of my experiences which I had woven together throughout my career. It was a personal reinterpretation of so many who had already made such incredible wines before me and who helped illuminate my path.

Wine	Vintage
Etna Bianco - "Gamma"	2020
Etna Bianco Superiore	2019
Etna Rosso - "Il purgatorio"	Sold Out

BIRRA OI

**A unique malt beer made of 100% Italian barley
made by Franciacorta legend Stefano Camilucci.**

This natural beer is amber in colour and has a real purity of aroma and flavour, which every ingredient used is all grown organically and cultivated with passion and enthusiasm in Franciacorta. Even the water used comes from the river that flows through the middle of the farm.

Roasted malt aromas and a fresh and elegant palate that is well balanced. Birra Oi is inspired by the land and tradition. 100% organic

Birra

Ambrata - 330ml- 6%Alc/Vol

Weiss - 330ml - 5.5% Alc/Vol

Birra Oi



FRANCE

BOURGOGNE:

Remoissenet

LOIRE:

Domaine Philippe Gilbert (Menetou-Salon)

RHÔNE:

Domaine Les 4 Vents (Crozes-Hermitage)

CHAMPAGNE:

Eric Legrand (Cotes des Bar)

ALSACE:

Domaine Kirrenbourg (Schlossberg)

BORDEAUX:

Chateau de Sales (Pomerol)

Vignobles Despaigne (Entre Deux Mers)

Chateau Les Ruats (Pian Sur Garonne, Cotes de Bordeaux)

Latour-Laguens (Saint Martin du Puy, Bordeaux Superieur)

Chateau Sigalas (Sauternes)



REMOISSENET PÈRE ET FILS - BOURGOGNE

Remoissenet Père et Fils is a reference point for refined Burgundy wines. This ancient estate, connected by mortar and stone to the medieval walls of Beaune, is linked by vine and bottle to Burgundy's hallowed past and its exciting future. In 2005, Remoissenet started the next chapter in its generations long history. With new owners and renewed leadership under Pierre-Antoine Rovani (formerly of The Wine Advocate) and head winemaker Claudie Jobard whose father is a renowned viticulturalist in Rully and mother was oenologist for Joseph Drouhin. The vines are farmed according to biodynamic principles, and Claudie's winemaking philosophy is non-interventionist, to let the grapes speak as clearly as possible.



Wine	Vintage
Chablis 1er Cru Fourchaume	2019
Chablis 1er Cru Montmains	2020
Meursault 1er Cru Cras	2021
Chablis Bougros Grand Cru	2021
Chablis Les Clos Grand Cru MAGNUM	2018
Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Echanges	2021
Gevrey-Chambertin	2021
Santenay 1er Cru Grand Clos Rousseau	2021
Savigny-Les-Beaune 1er Cru Les Lavieres	2019
Volnay 1er Cru Lurets	2021
Vosne-Romanee	2019
Vosne-Romanee	2021

DOMAINE PHILIPPE GILBERT - MENETOU-SALON

A neighbour of Sancerre, close to the Loire Valley, the Menetou-Salon appellation covers a modest area of 600 hectares. Menetou-Salon AOC is exclusively planted with pinot noir for the reds and sauvignon blanc for the whites. The Gilbert family have been cultivating their Menetou-Salon vineyards on the famous Kimmeridgian soils for over 250 years. Philippe Gilbert have 30ha under vine that are farmed biodynamically (Biodyvin certified since 2007) with the belief that a living wine is only obtained by respecting the vine and the soil and being receptive to cosmic influences. Observation of the plots, tasting the grapes, gentle handling, indigenous yeast ferments, and experienced intuition has resulted in a range of rich and harmonious wines.

Wine	Vintage
Menetou-Salon Blanc AOC	2022
Menetou-Salon Blanc AOC 'Les Chandelieres'	2019
Menetou-Salon Rouge AOC	2022
Menetou-Salon Rouge AOC 'Les Chandelieres'	2019
Menetou-Salon Rouge AOC '35 Rangs'	2018



Philippe Gilbert, grandson of Philippe took over the estate in 1998.



DOMAINE LES 4 VENTS



DOMAINE LES 4 VENTS - CROZES-HERMITAGE

Winemaker Lucie Fourel:

We strive to respect the environment. Our work in the vineyard and the cellars simply seeks to help the grapes and the wine to reflect their true character.

In 2006, vigneronne Lucie Fourel started farming 4ha of vines in Crozes-Hermitage originally planted by her grand-parents, and released her first vintage of Les 4 Vents in 2010. It wasn't long before her sister Nancy decided to join her. In 2015 their parents, who were also growers in Crozes-Hermitage and supplied grapes to Cave de Tain l'Hermitage, retired and Lucie and Nancy acquired an extra 6ha from their folks. All Les 4 Vents' 10ha in Crozes-Hermitage (made up mostly of old-vines 30-50yrs) are farmed biodynamically by Lucie and Nancy and certified organic. The sisters' focus in the winery is to capture the terroir through hand-harvested fruit, indigenous yeasts, minimal intervention, and absolutely no additions in the winemaking with just a smidge of sulfur at bottling (<10ppm to <20ppm), which is why they are often spotted at Raw Wine and other Bio/Biodynamic/natural-wine shows.

Wine

Vintage

Les 4 Vents Crozes-Hermitage AOP 2021

Saint Jaimés Crozes-Hermitage AOP 2021



ÉRIC LEGRAND - CELLES SUR OURCE - COTE DES BAR (AUBE) - GROWER CHAMPAGNE

A son of an Aubeois winemaker, Éric inherited not only the vineyards but also a love for his viticultural heritage and has successfully expanded to a 12 hectare estate comprised of 35 % Chardonnay, 50 % Pinot Noir, 10 % Pinot Blanc and 5 % Meunier grown on the clay-limestone soils of the Côte des Bars. The organically managed vineyards are on south and south-east facing slopes that are lulled by the nurturing rays of the sun from morning until late afternoon. All the estate's Champagne is made exclusively from grapes grown by the family.

We were lucky to receive an allocation of just one wine this year, the Bulle de Folie (bubbles of madness), and hope to be able to offer you more very soon.



Éric & his son Édouard

Wine

Champagne Legrand Blanc de Blancs cuvee Bulle de Folie

Vintage

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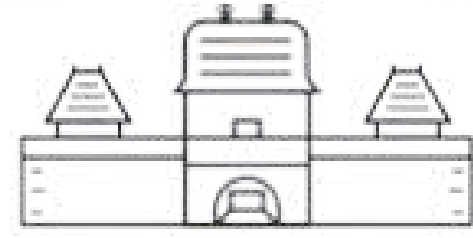
DOMAINE KIRRENBORG - ALSACE - GRAND CRU SCHLOSSBERG

Domaine Kirrenbourg is privileged to two illustrious granite-soil Grand Cru Alsace terroirs, Schlossberg (7 ha under vine) and Brand (3 ha under vine). The Schaetzel family have a long history in the region which Kirrenbourg is built upon. Martin Schaetzel started to bottle his own wine in the early 1930s and his expertise in the vines and the cellar was passed down the generations. More recently Jean Schaetzel switched to Organic and Biodynamic viticulture in 1998 and now leads the Kirrenbourg wine team: “Biodynamic culture is the most effective way of persuading vines to dig down deep, while helping them also to ‘reach for the stars’. The grapes they produce are unique, a perfect mirror of the terroir, giving peerlessly authentic wines.”

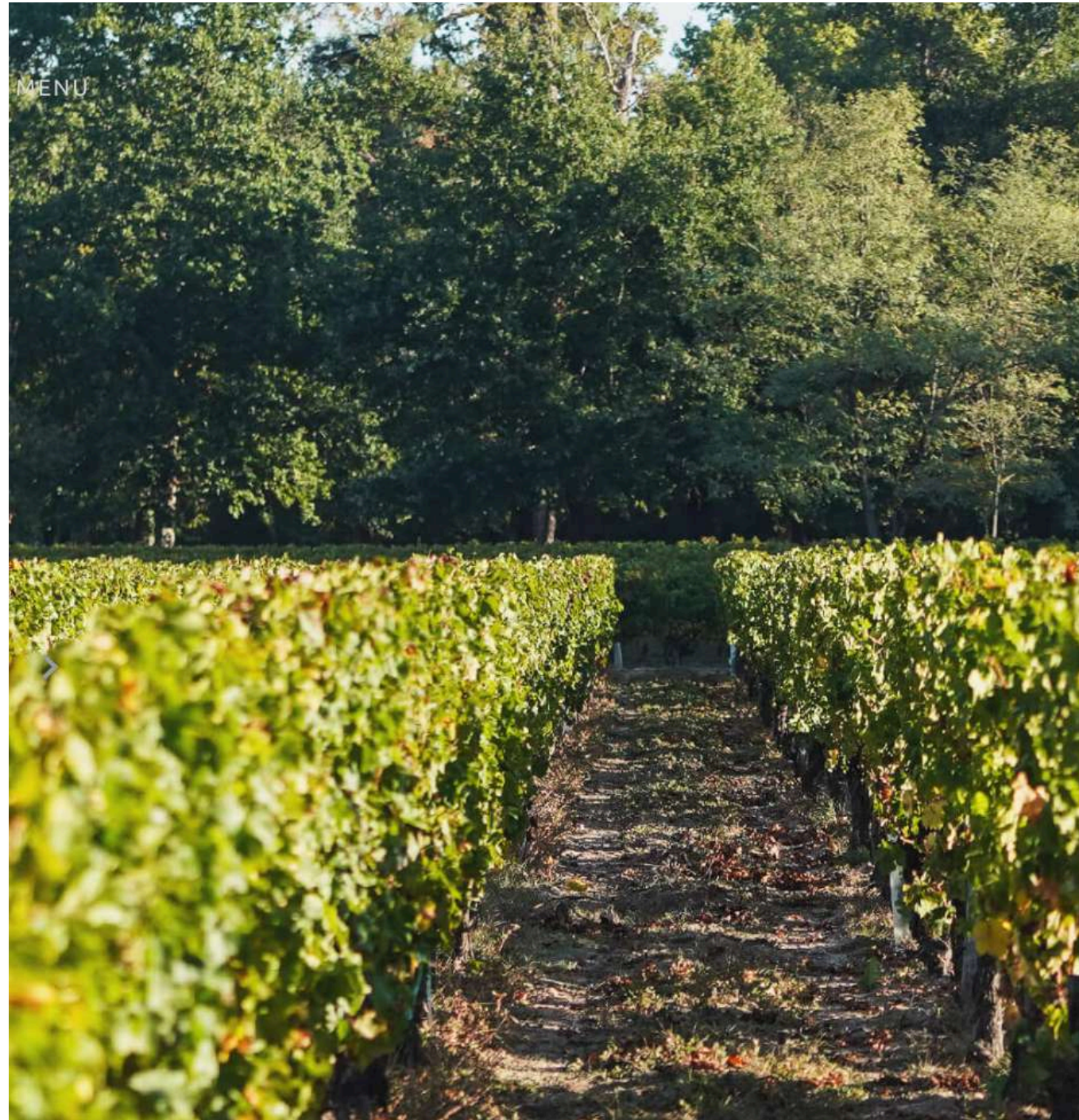
Wine	Vintage
Muscat Roche Granitique	2020
Pinot Gris Roche Granitique	2018
Riesling Roche Granitique	2020
Gewurztraminer Grand Cru Schlossberg	2018
Riesling Grand Cru Brand	2018
Riesling Grand Cru Schlossberg	2018



CHÂTEAU DE SALES



• POMEROL •



CHATEAU DE SALES - POMEROL

Chateau de Sales is still run by the same family as it was almost five centuries ago, passed down from generation to generation ever since 1578, when it was acquired by the Sauvanelle family. Château de Sales is located in the north-west of the Pomerol appellation with 47.6 hectares under vine. The majority of vines are Merlot (73%) which, combined with Cabernet Sauvignon (15%) and Cabernet Franc (12%), finds its full expression in a terroir of gravel and heat-retaining sand which also contains iron oxide. In the vineyard the soil is regularly tilled, and organic viticulture and biodiversity is practiced to promote soil and vine health. The grapes are harvested by hand at optimum maturity for each parcel.

Wine

Chateau de Sales Pomerol

Vintage

2017



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VIGNOBLES DESPAGNE - NAUJAN ET POSTIAC , ENTRE DEUX MERS, BORDEAUX

Despagne have been established in Bordeaux, in the heart of Entre-Deux-Mers, for more than 200 years. A family run estate in Naujac-Postiac (well off the beaten Bordeaux path) that has managed to find a place among the biggest names in Bordeaux thanks to innovative know-how, both in terms of its terroirs and winemaking. The limestone terroir in the southwest, made up of limestone deposits, surrounded by streams reveals gravelly terraces, atypical soils and a unique and wonderful wine-growing landscape where Despagne are able to find some exceptional terroirs.

Wine	Vintage
Chateau Tour de Mirambeau Blanc	2022
Biface Esprit Libre	2022
Naujan et Postiac Bordeaux Blanc	2019
Bordeaux Blanc Communale	2020
Chateau Tour de Mirambeau Rouge	2019
Naujan et Postiac Bordeaux Rouge	2019

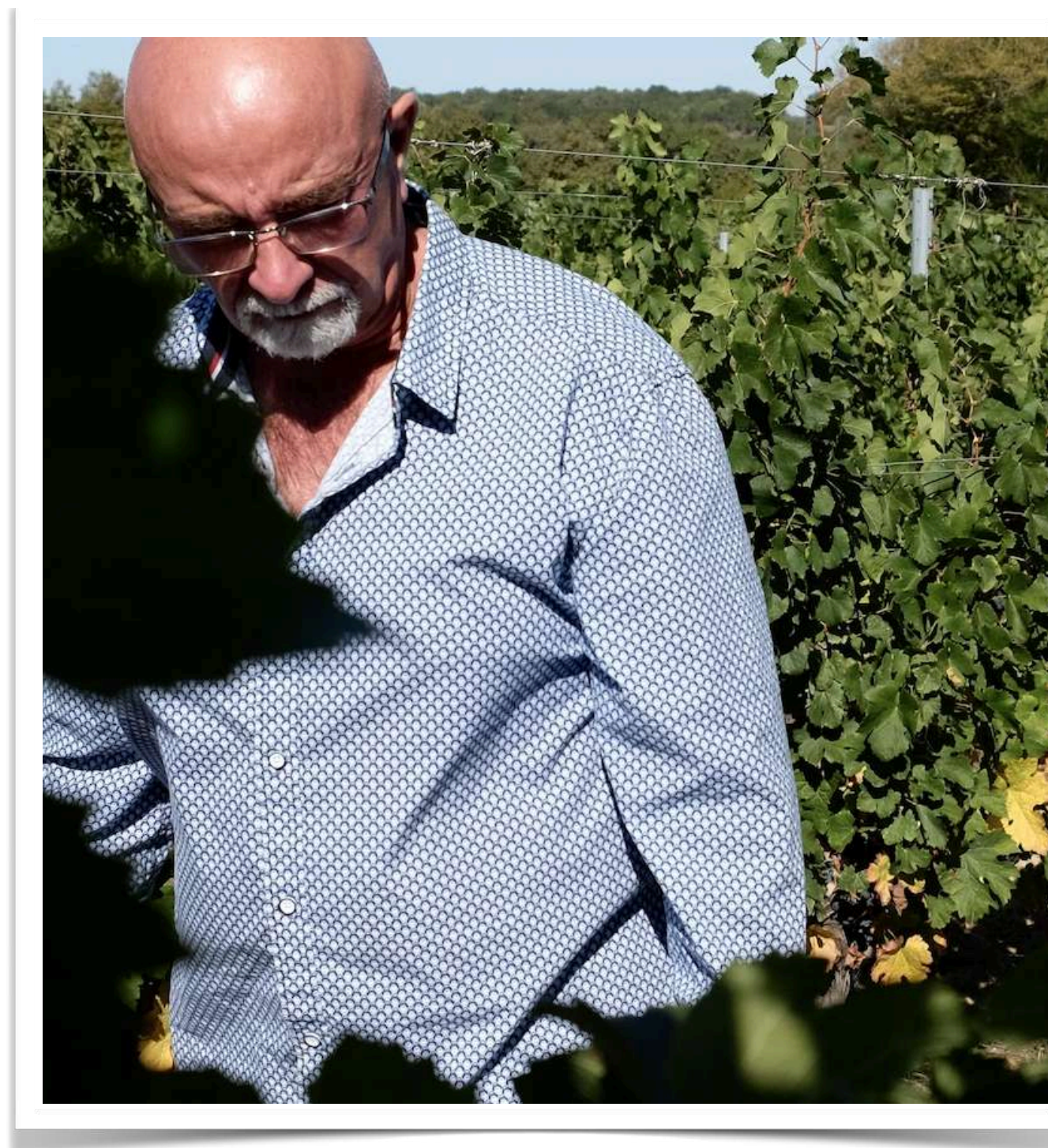
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CHÂTEAU LES RUATS - PIAN SUR GARONNE - CÔTES DE BORDEAUX

Château Les Ruats is located in the tiny village of Pian Sur Garonne at the southern end of the Gironde on the right bank. Founded in 1992 by Joël Richard, Château les Ruats extends over 12 hectares encompassing the Côtes de Bordeaux and Côtes de Bordeaux Saint-Macaire appellations. Coming from a line of passionate winegrowers spanning three generations, Joël Richard developed his skills within the oenological institutions of Bordeaux, and honed his skills in Pomerol and Saint-Émilion. Richard practices sustainable/organic viticulture, and practices minimal intervention both in the vineyard and in the cellar in order to allow nature to fully express itself. The vines are planted on clay-limestone soil and benefit from an oceanic climate on the sunny hillside slopes that overlook the Garonne river. The varietals planted are mainly Merlot and Cabernet Franc as well as some Cabernet Sauvignon and Sauvignon Blanc. Each vintage bears a distinct identity and is produced with the greatest standards by Joël Richard.



Wine

Cotes de Bordeaux Rouge

Vintage

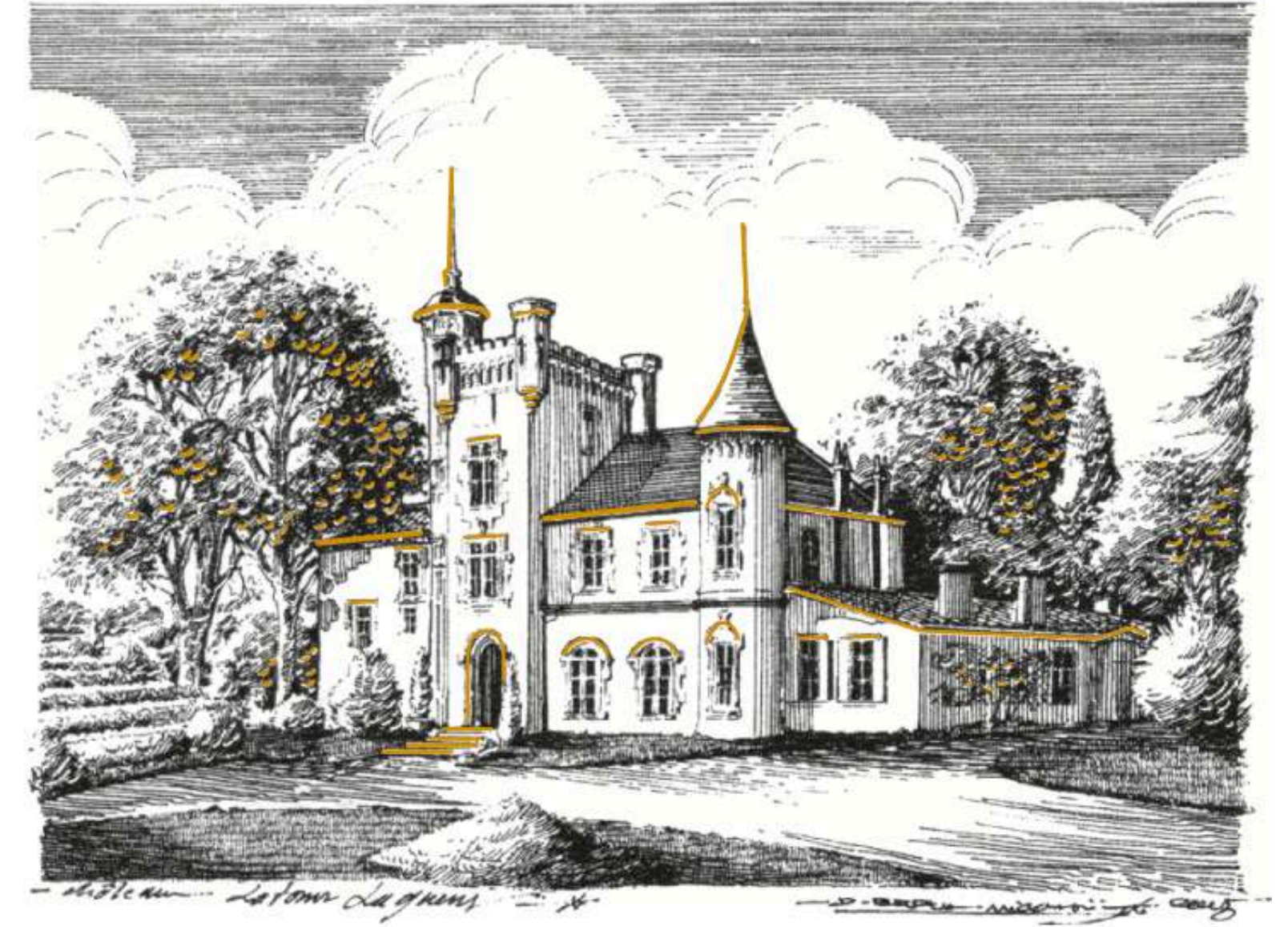
2019

CHÂTEAU LATOUR-LAGUENS - SAINT MARTIN DU PUY - BORDEAUX SUPERIEUR

Founded in the 14th century, Château Latour-Laguens covers 30 hectares and has been producing wines from the Bordeaux Supérieur appellation for centuries. Since 2020, Joël Richard, the new director of the estate, brings his know-how acquired within the oenological institutions of Bordeaux, as well as his experience as a Grand Cru winemaker in Pomerol and Saint-Émilion. The vineyard consists exclusively of red grape varieties, namely Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Malbec and Carménère. The clay-siliceous soil, resting on a limestone, offers a terroir comparable to that of the most renowned Grands Crus of Saint-Émilion. It gives rise to deep and elegant wines, characterized by a beautiful aromatic complexity and a velvety tannin structure. Richard employs sustainable viticulture to allow the vines the freedom to reveal their potential. The harvest is carefully sorted by hand, retaining only the best berries, resulting in pure and refined wines. Each plot is fermented and aged separately, then tasted to define the final blends of each vintage. Only in the best years is the exceptional La Réserve made.

Wine	Vintage
Bordeaux Supérieur Rouge	2020
La Réserve Bordeaux Supérieur Rouge (Gold Medal Concours International de Lyon 2022)	2020

GRAND VIN DE BORDEAUX



Château
LATOUR-LAGUENS



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CHATEAU SIGALAS RABAUD



Laure de Lambert Compeyrot

CHÂTEAU SIGALAS RABAUD - SAUTERNES

Château Sigalas Rabaud has been in the Sigalas family since 1863 and through six generations. It is perfectly situated on a small hill overlooking Chateau d'Yquem, just 500 metres away. With just fourteen hectares, it is the smallest of all the premier cru classé Sauternes properties. Planted on a slight slope facing south, the vine grows on the famous "Sauternais terrace" characterized by a clay bedrock, covered with silico-gravelly soil deposited by the Garonne 600,000 years ago. Vineyard plantings consist of 85% Semillon and 15% Sauvignon.

The current sixth generation, Laure de Lambert Compeyrot wants to pass on a living soil to future generations through organic viticulture and preserving biodiversity and old-vine heritage.

Wine

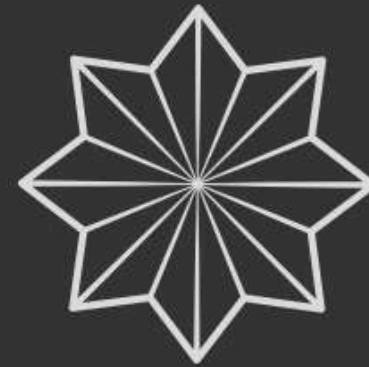
Lieutenant de Siglas blanc liquoreux Sauternes

Chateau Sigalas Rabaud blanc Liquoreux Sauternes

Vintage

2018

2012



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