FAMILLE LANÇON

Domaine de la Solitude

CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

## Barberini Rouge 2024, *A.O.C. Châteauneuf-du-Pape*

*Vin issu de l'agriculture biologique FR-BIO-01 – Organic wine*

*Vin biodynamique certifié Demeter - Biodynamic*

**Blend**

The grenaches come from old vines planted on the high Quaternary alluvial terraces surrounding the estate. These famous soils of pebbles of quartzites and clays, they give the Cuvée Barberini a great tannic and aromatic power.

- 65 % Grenache noir
- 25 % Syrah
- 10 % Mourvèdre

**Winemaking and aging**

Harvesting is done by hand in 25 kg crates. After a double selection of the best bunches in the vineyard then on a sorting table, the grapes are crushed and partially destemmed. They are vinified by gravity in concrete vats. Long macerations with gentle extractions provide these tannins both powerful and velvetines. This vintage is aged for 60% in new French oak barrels and 40% in concrete vats for 15 months.

The wine is bottled without filtration or fining.

**The Vintage 2024**

Yelds 25 hectolitres/hectare. 5400 bottles and 150 magnums were produced.

**Tasting notes**

A powerful nose, which mixes aromas of tobacco, violet, milk caramel. A velvety mouth with aromas of licorice and morello cherry, with a lingering chocolate finish.

**Food pairing**

This wine, still in its youth, will be paired with red meats such as a prime rib, but also, for example, a lamb tagine with apricots, duck breasts with cherries and, with a dozen years, a hare "à la royale"**.**

**Recommendations**

• To be consumed within 3 to 20 years after the vintage.

• Service temperature: 16-18 ° C.

**Rewards vintage 2023**

**Jeb Dunnuck 94 Points**

*A more modern-styled cuvée from 100% galets roulés terroir, the 2023 Châteauneuf Du Pape Barberini is based on 60% Grenache, 25% Syrah, and 15% Mourvèdre. It was partially destemmed, vinified in concrete, and aged 15 months in 60% new French oak, 20% foudre, and 20% concrete. It brings more intensity in its notes of bright blackberries, Provençal garrigue, spicy wood, and pepper. This beautifully balanced, medium to full-bodied, elegant 2023 has ripe, polished tannins, no hard edges, and a gorgeous finish. With 416 cases produced, it will benefit from just a few years of bottle age and keep for 10-15 years in cold cellars. Drink 2027-2040.*