



APPELLATION SAINT-PÉRAY

100 % MARSANNE

TERRITORY

The appellation: 85 ha. This wine's plots: 1.2 ha.

POSITION

A combination of plots: localities named *Le Plantier*, *Prieuré*, *Chamblard*

AVAILABLE VINTAGE

2016





HARMONIE

First vintage produced in 2001. With this blend of different plots, our aim is to express as accurately as possible the character of the Marsanne grape variety.

The entire domain is cultivated using organic and biodynamic viticulture.

TERROIR

The vines, on average thirty years old, are planted on *colluvium* mixed with coarse sand comprised of granite and clay-limestone.

2016 VINTAGE

2016 was a standard vintage for our terroirs, with fine weather conditions, but it was a year that forced us to be extremely vigilant to watch out for any attack of fungal disease. Yields were good. Everything was well balanced; the wines are marked by elegance, while conveying the typical character of Cornas and Saint-Péray.

OUR VINE GROWING AND WINEMAKING

- Organic certification for the vines and wine in the 2009 vintage and biodynamic methods used.
- Marsanne vines trained and pruned in the Gobelet style and supported by stakes.
- Hand-picked harvests.
- Winemaking at low temperature in concrete vats.
- Malo-lactic fermentation.



2015 Vintage:

• Maturation on fine lees in concrete vats for approximately 10 months.

- Bottling in springtime after the harvest.
- Amount of sulphite reduced: 62 mg/l total SO_2 (150 mg/litre authorised in organic winemaking)
- Production: 6.600 bottles
- Ageing potential: 3 years

COMMENTS

Robert Parker - Wine Advocate : 90/100.