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Domaine du Vieux Télégraphe

Châteauneuf-du-Pape

Clos la Roquète Châteauneuf-du-Pape Blanc



Grower

Domaine du Vieux Télégraphe has been run by the Brunier family for five generations, since 1891, on the famous stony Plateau de la Crau. The Brunier brothers bought Domaine la Roquète in 1986 and immediately replanted the small Clos la Roquète vineyard to white varieties.

Vineyards

In the La Roquète lieu-dit, next to the lieux-dits of Pignan and Piedlong. A part of the appellation with a very sandy topsoil over a layer of red clay mixed with the friable stone known as pierre de Châteauneuf.

Vinification

Hand picked, with double sorting in the vineyard and a third sort in the cellar. Pneumatic pressing and static settling, then fermentation in barriques and demi-muids. Matured on the lees in barriques, demi-muids and foudres, and bottled at 10 months.

Style

The La Roquète lieu-dit gives this white Châteauneuf-du-Pape a distinctive freshness and elegance. Best enjoyed in its youth. Serve at 12°C.

Grape varieties:
34% Grenache Blanc, 33% Roussanne, 33% Clairette

Bottling options:
75cl

Closure:
Cork

Suitable for:
Vegetarians and vegans



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