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Languedoc – Pézenas - France

Les Galets Dorés 2014 AOC Coteaux du Languedoc Red

100% estate grown grapes

Cépages : 60% Grenache Noir, 25% Carignan, 15% Syrah

History

Domaine de Nizas is located in the South of France near Pézenas, in the heart of the historic Languedoc region. It was created in 1998 by the Franco-American John Golet and his trusted adviser Bernard Portet. Their goal was to create exceptional wines from the rich diversity of the estate's three terroirs: limestone, basalt and villafranchian (river pebbles).

Winemaker's Comments

Domaine de Nizas creates elegant wines which express the rich diversity of its carefully selected terroirs on the heights of the medieval town of Pezenas.

This wine is expertly blended from three grape varieties grown in three different terroirs: limestone; villafranchian (river pebbles) and basalt.

Les Galets Dorés is named after the golden pebbles of the villafranchian terroir which give it richness, roundness and strong fruit aromas.

Wine & Food Pairing by Olivier Bompas

Expressive, fleshy and fruity, offering pleasant notes from the "garrigue", this wine is ideal with roast rack of lamb with thyme, veal liver in parsley and garlic sauce ("persillade") or casserole of pork tenderloin with braised vegetables.

Wine Analysis

Alcohol : 14%

Soil Type : A blend of river gravel and limestone, with a red loam subsoil; extremely well-drained

Age of vines : Average of 7 years

Fermentation : Mechanical harvest with totally destemmed grapes. Vatting time of two weeks to protect the fruit and the flexibility of tannins. Malolactic fermentation and ageing on the lees in stainless steel during 9 months.

Viticulture : Certified sustainable agriculture since 2007

Produced quantity : 16000 bottles

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