## FAMILLE PERRIN







# Famille Perrin Sélections Parcellaires Vinsobres - Les Hauts Julien Vieilles Vignes -2019

Another of the vast Vinsobres repertoire, this wine comes from a plot with 90 year old vines co-planted with Grenache and Syrah.

#### **PRESENTATION**

Vinsobres is one of the most beautiful Crus in the Southern Rhône.

#### THE VINTAGE

The years in 9 regularly mark the memory of winegrowers and this vintage was no exception. After an early bud burst in early April, flowering was gradual and took place in good conditions in all the vineyards. Then a hot summer began in late June, which the vines bravely resisted: they suffered little from water stress, thanks to the chamomile herbal infusions we sprayed on the vegetation to cope with the heat. Finally, the harvest went as usual, without any particular precocity. The wines are promising; a vintage in 9 is born, once again, under a lucky star.

## LOCATION

The vineyard is located 40 km north of Châteauneuf-du-Pape at an altitude of 300m benefiting from a cool climate, perfect for Syrah. Les Hauts de Julien is made with grapes from an old plot of vines (around 90 years old) co-planted in Syrah and Grenache.

#### **TERROIR**

Quaternary alluvial stones on terraces.

## **AGEING**

The crop is harvested manually. Upon arrival in the cellars, the grapes are sorted, destemmed and vatted in oak casks. After maceration, fermentation starts and extraction is done by punching down and pumping over. Before the end of the alcoholic fermentation, the juices are drained into French oak barrels where they finish fermenting and remain to age for a year and a half.

## VARIETALS Grenache, Syrah

## SERVING 17°C.

## TASTING

Magnificent balance between power and refinement: intense aromas of ripe and crunchy fruit, an attack on complex notes of black fruit, tight and precise tannins, great intensity between freshness and tension with a persistent finish.

