



CHÂTEAU DE BEAUCASTEL

Château de Beaucastel Blanc Roussanne Vieilles Vignes 2012



VORSTELLUNG

Er gilt als einer der besten Weißweine in Frankreich, nur 6000 Flaschen dieses Weines werden hergestellt. Hergestellt zu 100% von sehr alten Rebstöcken des Roussanne, geerntet leicht über dem Reifepunkt. Dieser außergewöhnliche Wein muss innerhalb 3 Jahren oder nach 15 Jahren getrunken werden. Genießen zu gastronomischer Küche.

DER JAHRGANG

Der Jahrgang 2012 ist ein Jahrgang der Kontraste mit einem sehr milden Jahresbeginn, gefolgt von einem eisigen Februar. Der Frühling war frisch und feucht, der Juli sehr trocken und windig und der August sehr heiß. Die Erntebedingungen waren ideal.

All diese Gegebenheiten machen den Jahrgang 2012 zu einem großartigen Jahrgang.

LAGE

Château de Beaucastel hat 7 Hektar in weißen Reben bepflanzt.

TERROIR

Molasse Meeresböden des Miozän mit Alpinen Ablagerungen bedeckt

REIFE

Die Trauben werden von Hand geerntet und in kleine Kisten sortiert, pneumatisch gepresst. Absetzen der Säfte und Reifung (30% in der Eiche, 70% Tanks). Abgefüllt nach 8 Monaten.

REBSORTE

Roussanne 100%

SERVIEREN

14 ° in Gläser

VERKOSTUNG

Beautiful golden colour.

The nose is slightly woody with an explosion of honey, peaches, exotic fruit and an exceptional richness and intensity.

The mouth has a remarkable texture, thick but fresh. We find notes of white flowers and honeysuckle, lavender, honey and orange zest. The balance is perfect especially with the minerality, coming from the limestone, gives this wine a great texture. A great vintage of Roussanne Vieilles Vignes.



TESTBERICHTE UND AUSZEICHNUNGEN



97/100

"Even more impressive and coming from a single parcel of vines planted in 1909, the 2012 Chateauneuf du Pape Roussanne Vieilles Vignes is an off-the-hook effort and certainly the greatest white produced in the Southern Rhone. Offering up exuberant and perfumed notes of marmalade, buttered citrus, orange rind and lavender, this full-bodied voluptuously textured white has knockout richness that's balanced by gorgeous purity and freshness. Always showing brilliantly in their youth, this cuvee can shut down and be hard to judge when (or if) it will come back around. Per the Perrin family, every vintage goes through this stage and re-emerges at some point. You can drink them in their exuberant youth (which is my recommendation), or cellar them and hope for the best."

Jeb Dunnuck, Wine Advocate, 01/11/2013

Wine Spectator

95/100

"Gorgeous, with lush mango, creamed pineapple and Cavaillon melon fruit flavors that glide along, featuring a light fresh butter edge that holds sway on the finish. Despite the alluring, tropical profile, the lovely backdrop of verbena and wet stone should blossom with cellaring."

James Molesworth, Wine Spectator, 31/08/2014



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"Less heavy and more lifted and aromatic than the regular bottling. Very sweet palate entry and then something nutty and rewarding with a hint of marzipan. Round and well balanced – though maybe not as refreshing as the regular? It is bigger and softer."

Jancis Robinson

"This white Chateauneuf du Pape has notes of marmalade, buttered citrus, orange rind and lavender. A good body with voluptuously textured white very rich, that's balanced by gorgeous purity and freshness. It is a very complex wine which pair very well with grilled fish, seafood and cheeses."

Blanco & Gomez, 18/06/2015



94/100

"2012 Châteauneuf-du-Pape Blanc Roussanne

Vieilles Vignes (aged in a 50/50 blend of stainless steel tanks and oak barrels for eight months): Vivid yellow. An explosively perfumed bouquet evokes ripe melon, nectarine and mango, and powerful mineral and floral elements add vivacity and lift. Broad, sappy and deeply concentrated, offering intense orchard fruit and pit fruit flavors that stain the palate while showing surprising vivacity. Strikes a deft balance between richness and finesse, picking up ginger and honey flourishes on the back half. Clings with outstanding energy and persistence on the finish, leaving sappy pear nectar and floral notes behind."

Josh Reynolds, Vinous, 05/04/2016

Decanter

98/100

"Although a touch closed on the nose at the time of tasting, there's a lovely spicy, honeyed expression on the palate over rich, generous pear fruit. A really elegant and balanced year, so full of joy and flavour, with a tiny hint of petrol on the finish. This hails from a single parcel of Roussanne, planted in 1919 and grown biodynamically."

Decanter, 05/02/2025

