FAMILLE PERRIN







Perrin & fils Vinsobres

This wine gets its exceptional aromas from less than 1 hectare of vines of about 100 years of age.

PRESENTATION

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

THE VINTAGE

A great vintage combining flesh and elegance with great ageing potential.

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

Vinified traditionally at the Perrin & Fils cellar. Aged 15% in oak barrels for one year. No filtration before bottling.

VARIETALS

Grenache, Syrah

SERVING

17°C

TASTING

Colour: Intense red

Nose: Red fruit, blackcurrent, underwood Mouth: Beautiful texture, extremely pure

REVIEWS AND AWARDS

92/10

Wine Spectator

"Smoky up front, but with a pure beam of fig and raspberry ganache that drives the tar and melted licorice finish. Shows violet and graphite notes as well, with a hint of lavender. There's some grip still to shed. Best from 2010 through 2012."

Wine Spectator, 01/10/2009



Libert Carker

95/100

"Believe it or not, the 2007 Cotes du Rhone-Villages Vinsobres Vieilles Vignes Les Hauts Julien is even better. A 500-case lot of equal parts Syrah and Grenache, it is the greatest Vinsobres I have ever tasted, and it admirably demonstrates the potential that exists in this high elevation, cool climate terroir. An inky/blue/purple color is accompanied by an extraordinary perfume of crushed rocks, black truffles, blueberries, blackberries, licorice, and charcoal. Sensationally deep, extremely full-bodied and powerful yet also ethereal in its elegant, freshness, and laser-like precision, this is a tour de force in winemaking that is capable of lasting 15 or more years."

Wine Advocate

15.5/20

"Sérieux, dense et encore jeune, les arômes de fruits noirs, de garrigue et de sous-bois s'associent parfaitement avec le corps de ce vin structuré et masculin. Peut vieillir encore quelques années."

Bettane & Desseauve, Le Grand Guide des Vins de France 2011

"Exceptionnel."

Thierry Favre, Wine Pleasure United, 28/12/2016