



## 2018 DOMAINE GRAND VENEUR Châteauneuf-du-Pape Rouge Les Origines France – Rhône Valley - Châteauneuf-du-Pape AOC

### ABOUT DOMAINE GRAND VENEUR / VIGNOBLES ALAIN JAUME

Located in the Orange commune of Châteauneuf-du-Pape, the Jaume family has been dedicated to the art of wine growing since 1826. Since 1979, the domaine has been run by 5<sup>th</sup> generation Alain Jaume, who is now helped by his children Christophe, Sébastien, and Hélène. The 225-acre estate covers several AOCs and 13 grape types. The Grand Veneur and Clos de Sixte vineyards are certified organic.

### ABOUT THE WINE

The vineyards are located at the extreme north of Châteauneuf-du-Pape, where the plateau consists of red clay mixed with rocks. This area is considered one of the best for producing rich and powerful red wines.

*"Already drinkable as a prospective blend, the 2018 Chateauneuf du Pape les Origines is wonderfully open and fruit-forward, with hints of garrigue accenting pomegranate and cherry notes. Full-bodied and silky, there's a drink-me-now quality to this luscious wine. - Joe Czerwinski, Wine Advocate"*

### RATINGS

**94+ pts** Wine Advocate

**93 pts** Jeb Dunnock

Vintage	2018
Appellation	Châteauneuf-du-Pape AOC
Varietal(s)	50% Grenache, 30% Mourvèdre, 20% Syrah
Vinification	Harvest is sorted by hand, destemmed and crushed. Fermentation temperature is controlled at 30°C. Vatting period of 18 to 20 days. Matured in vats (grenache) and in oak casks (syrah and mourvèdre).
Soil Type	Red clay with rocks
Farming	Organic
ABV	15%
Size	12/750ml / 6/1.5L
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