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2017 Château Cabrières Côtes du Rhône Rouge Vieilles Vignes *France – Rhône Valley – Côtes du Rhône*

ABOUT THE WINERY

The Arnaud family has owned the Château Cabrières property for three generations. In 2009, Guy Arnaud handed over the estate to his daughter, Agnes Arnaud, married to Patrick Vernier. Today, Agnes and Patrick are run the estate together.

The name 'Cabrières' comes from the Latin name *Capraria*, designating a place where goats are raised.

Château Cabrières is located in the village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape, in the Vaucluse department. The property dates back many centuries, indicated by a bread oven door that was discovered and preserved - the stone cut recalls the technique used in the 14th and 15th centuries. This proves the historic nature of the Chateau and its vine stock, both of which benefit from the flinty nature of the local soil, where vines have been planted since 1344.

ABOUT THE WINE

Château Cabrières' Côtes du Rhône vineyard is located south of Orange, on the edge of Châteauneuf-du-Pape. The area of the vineyard is 1.53 hectares. The soil is comprised of clay-limestone mixed with pebbles.

Aged 12 months in concrete vats with ceramic coating or/and stainless-steel tanks. Bright cherry red color with an expressive red fruit nose (strawberry and raspberry). Soft tannins in mouth, with freshness and spices.

RATINGS

89-91 PTS – Jeb Dunnuck

89 PTS – Wine Enthusiast

Appellation	Côtes du Rhône
Varietal(s)	50% Grenache and 50% Syrah
Soil Type	clay-limestone mixed with pebbles
Agricultural Practices	Sustainable
Vinification	Skin contact maceration at low temperature for 2 days, then fermentation at 25°C to 30°C for 3 weeks. Pumping-over twice a day during the fermentation. Aged 12 months in concrete vats with ceramic coating or/and stainless-steel tanks.
Size	12/750ml
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