

2016 CHÂTEAU de SÉGRIÈS Lirac Rouge Cuvée Réservée

France - Rhône Valley - Lirac AOC

ABOUT CHATEAU DE SEGRIES

Owner Henri de Lanzac purchased Château de Ségriès in 1994 from Count Henri de Regis, founder of the Lirac AOC. They use grapes from what is perhaps the best terroir for red wine, the windy Vallongue plateau. The vineyards on this plateau are full of 'galets roulés' – these hard, dense silica-rolled pebbles absorb heat during the day & return it to the vines at night. Their presence also allows for deep vine roots, which results in outstanding terroir. Ségriès owns 58 hectares of old vines in Lirac, Tavel & Côtes du Rhône AOC's.

ABOUT THE WINE

"The 2016 Lirac is flat-out outstanding. It gives up a deep purple color as well as terrific notes of red plums, ripe cherries, melted licorice, and candied violets. Medium to full-bodied, beautifully pure, with fine tannin and an elegant, yet sexy style, it's a no-brainer purchase to enjoy over the coming the 4-5 years." - Jeb Dunnuck (September 2018)

RATINGS

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Vintage	2016
Appellation	Lirac AOC
Varietal(s)	50% Grenache, 30% Syrah, 10% Cinsault, 10% Mourvèdre
Vinification	Classic - Maceration for 21 days in temperature- controlled cement vats.
Age of Vines	80 years
Soil Type	Clay limestone
ABV	14.5%
Size	12/750ml / 6/1.5L
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