

2016 CHÂTEAU de SÉGRIÈS Secret de la Grange Lirac Rouge

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

This special cuvée's first vintage was created in 2013. It is produced from select plots on the estate known as 'La Grange'. Only produced in select year with a limited production of around 1,000 cases.

Dark and inky, with intense & complex aromas. Strawberry and blackberry fruit flavors combine with spice, garrique, pepper and licorice components. Long finish with well-integrated tannins.

RATINGS

93 PTS WINE ADVOCATE 92 PTS JEB DUNNUCK

Vintage	2016
Appellation	Lirac AOC
Varietal(s)	50% Grenache and 50% Syrah
Vinification	Maceration for 30 days in cement vats - Fermentation at controlled temperature.
Age of Vines	80 years
Soil Type	Clay limestone
Size	12/750ml / 6/1.5L
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