



2019 Croix Senaillet Macon-Davaye

Domaine de la Croix Senaillet

France - Burgundy - Macon Davaye

ABOUT THE WINERY

This second-generation estate in the town of Davayé was founded by Maurice Martin in 1969. His son, Richard, took over in 1990 and was joined by his brother, Stéphane, in 1992. Richard manages the vinification and sales, and Stéphane oversees the vineyard.

The winery is named for a cross that had been given by an ancient mayor of the village called Benoit Senaillet. The records show that the mayor donated the cross to Davayé in 1866, to replace one that was destroyed in 1793 during the French Revolution.

The vineyards are located on the south/southeastern slopes of the Solutre and Vergisson rocks. The estate spreads over 60 parcels and measures 22 hectares: 17 ha in St Véran, 5 ha in Mâcon, less than 1 hectare in Pouilly-Fuisse.

Since the 1990's, the Martin brothers have followed "culture raisonnée" methods, focusing on minimal treatment, natural soil and plant strengthening. They were officially certified organic in 2006.

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Produced from 7 different parcels of vines, spread over 3.77 hectares, planted on clay and limestone-based soils. The wine offers a pale brilliant yellow color, a fresh nose of citrus fruits (lemon, grapefruit), mineral and salty notes on the palate. Fresh, supple and harmonious in the mouth.

RATINGS

89 pts Wine Enthusiast

Vintage	2019
Appellation	Macon Davaye
Varietal(s)	100% Chardonnay
Age of vines	30 years
Soil Type	Clay & limestone
Vinification	Careful vinification with minimal intervention. Destemming, slow press, slow fermentation, malolactic fermentation, aging on the lees.
Agricultural Practices	Organic
Certifications	Ecocert - Organic
Size	12/750ml
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