



# Terroir Daronton - Vacqueyras, BIO, Red, 2023

AOC Vacqueyras, Vallée du Rhône, France

#### **PRESENTATION**

Originating from 13 names... those of the thirteen founders who came together and gathered a team of expert winemakers to create a trusted signature for Rhone Valley wines. As a tribute to their work, the name DARONTON was born from a blend of parts of their names.

Our "Organic" wines specifically highlight our Winemaker Artisans who are certified "Organic Farming".

## THE VINTAGE

2023 was a year full of contrasts: warm temperatures at the end of December and beginning of January raised concerns about early budding; a return to normalcy continued until February with relatively cool weather; a persistent drought accompanied by a strong Mistral wind, followed by regular rainfall until the end of June. Thanks to constant vigilance in the vineyards, the berries were healthy and well-ripened when harvest started, promising one of the finest vintages of the past decade.

#### **TERROIR**

Surface covered with rounded pebbles, underlain by deep safre and clay soils.

## WINEMAKING

Harvest at optimum maturity. Grapes are destemmed and pressed. Traditional vinification under controlled temperatures.

## **VARIETALS**

Grenache noir, Syrah, Mourvèdre

Contains sulphites.

## **SERVING**

12-14°C

#### TASTING

Elegant nose of red fruit aromas with hints of jam and spices. Round and well-balanced on the palate.

### **FOOD PAIRINGS**

Grilled lamb, red meat, pasta...

## **REVIEWS AND AWARDS**



Or

Concours des vins d'Orange Or, 04/02/2024





Or

Concours Général Agricole Paris Médaille d'or, 26/02/2024



