



Rhonéa - Castellas Vieilles Vignes, AOC Vacqueyras, Rouge, 2021

AOC Vacqueyras, Vallée du Rhône, France

PRESENTATION

RHONÉA, as the name suggests, is the trusted choice for Rhône Valley wines. Our Artisans vinegrowers & winemakers have been committed since 1925 to bring you the best from our vineyards & let you taste more than just wine, but the quality & authenticity of our terroirs.

THE VINTAGE

This year's climatic events have upset the work of our winegrowers. Frost, hail & rains did not spare the region. This vintage will be remembered for being atypical, but also for resulting in qualitative, fresh, lush and tasty wines with limited volumes.

TERROIR

The vines are located on the "Plateau des Garrigues" between Vacqueyras & Sarrians. Grenache on alluvial deposits and Syrah on clay-limestone soils.

WINEMAKING

Hand harvest. Grapes are vinified separately to preserve the characteristics of each variety.

AGEING

Syrah grapes are aged in "Foudres" and 225l-oak barrels (1-3 years) for 6 to 8 months before final blending.

VARIETALS

Grenache noir 75%, Syrah 20%, Mourvèdre 5%

TECHNICAL DATA

Residual Sugar: 2 g/l

14 % VOL.

Contains sulphites.

SERVING

14-16°C

TASTING

Intense ruby color with brilliant reflections. Floral nose with subtle notes of violet at first, then light notes of strawberries. Fleshy and rich mouth, still well-balanced. Elegant and silky tannins.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Meats in sauce, vegetables with tomato sauce, roasted in the oven at a low temperature...

REVIEWS AND AWARDS



90/100

"Slightly rubbery and asphalt-like at first, but plum and raspberry fruit emerge with air. It's medium to full-bodied and velvety textured, with a long finish. A solid effort."

Joe Czerwinski, Wine Advocate, 16/05/2024

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