



# Rhonéa - V.I.V.R.E, Rouge, 2023

Vin de France, VSIG, France

#### **PRESENTATION**

V.I.V.R.E (Vignerons Investis en Viticulture Respectueuse de l'Environnement ): Winegrowers committed to Environmental-friendly Viticulture. We, Artisans Winegrowers for 3 to 4 generations, have chosen to encapsulate in these 5 letters the Rhonéa philosophy: a collective commitment to sustainable viticulture that preserves our terroirs and ensures the continuity of our activity.

### 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

Vines are located near the villages of Beaumes de Venise & Vacqueyras.

#### WINEMAKING

Harvest at optimum maturty and at the coolest hours of the day. Traditional vinification to develop aromas & structure.

# AGEING

A portion of the blend aged in barrels for 4 months.

# **VARIETALS**

Grenache noir 60%, Syrah 40%

# 14 % VOL.

Contains sulphites.

# SERVING

14-16°C

#### **TASTING**

Dark robe. Strong aromas of ripe black & red fruits. The mouth is rich and structured with well-balanced tannins.

# **FOOD PAIRINGS**

Cheeses & delicatessen, grilled steaks or ribs, omelettes, hearty stews...

#### **REVIEWS AND AWARDS**



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