



Terroir Daronton, Ventoux, Rouge, 2023

AOC Ventoux, 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."

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

Light sandy soils, sandstones on sunny slopes and calcareous scree.

WINEMAKING

Harvest at optimum maturity. Vinification under controlled temperature to extract the best of the fruit.

AGEING

Short ageing in stainless steel vats at controlled temp. and early bottling.

VARIETALS

Grenache 50%, Syrah 40%, Carignan 10%

Contains sulphites.

SERVING

12-14°C


TASTING

Nose of red fruit and spice. The wine has a beautiful long aftertaste and intense spicy flavours.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Pasta with meatballs, grilled meat, cheeses...



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