



# Rhonéa - Fontimple, AOC Vacqueyras Organic, White, 2023

AOC Vacqueyras, Vallée du Rhône, France

#### **PRESENTATION**

RHONÉA, as the name suggests, is the trusted choice for Rhône Valley wines. Our Artisans winegrowers & 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

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**

Complementary terroirs of the appellation: round pebbles, clay and limestone.

# **WINEMAKING**

Harvest at the coolest hours of the day to keep the freshness of the grapes. Skin contact maceration at  $10^{\circ}$ C.

#### **AGEING**

On lees to preserve maximum freshness.

# **VARIETALS**

Viognier 70%, Roussanne 30%

Contains sulphites.

# **SERVING**

11-14°C

#### TASTING

Rich and complex nose of tropical fruit and white flowers. Lively palate and attractive freshness. Full-bodied and smooth.

### **FOOD PAIRINGS**

Fish with cream sauce, vegetable pies, veal "blanquette"





