



Rhonéa - Tradition, AOC Rasteau, Red, 2023

AOC Rasteau, 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.

LOCATION

Our vines are located around the village of Rasteau. Terraces of clay, limestone and pebbles in the plain; blue marls on the hills. 200-250m high, facing the Dentelles de Montmirail.

WINEMAKING

Harvest is sorted and destemmed. Traditional vinification with long maceration and partial punching down.

VARIETALS

Grenache noir 55%, Mourvèdre 27%, Syrah 18%

SERVING

14-16°C

TASTING

Raspberry, garrigue scents (rosemary, thym). Ripe and soft with a very elegant fresh final.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Mint and harissa keftas, Lentil dal... spicy meals

