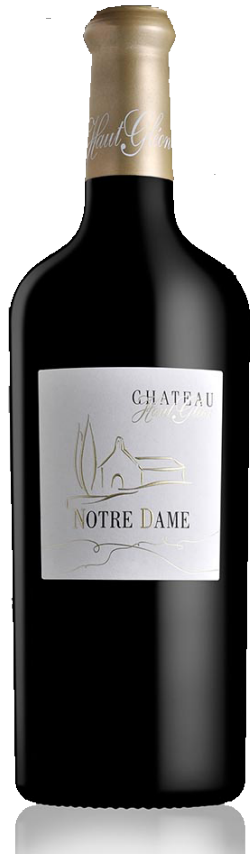

NOTRE DAME DE HAUT GLÉON

Château Haut Gléon produces wines of character, elegant and refined with a broad palette of flavors, presented in a distinctive, unique bottle based on a historical model found in the château's store rooms.



Bottle Size: 750 mL

Vintage: 2012
Producer: Foncalieu
Country: France, Languedoc
Composition:
50% Syrah, 40% Grenache Noir, 10% Carignan Vieilles Vignes

WINEMAKER NOTES:

This wine tells the story of a Visigoth couple. They built a chapel as a sign of their mutual love. They lived at Gléon in the 6th century and were in love. It is in honour of this couple, called « Diusvirus and Wilzende », that we wanted to create this special cuvée.

TASTING NOTES:

Deep carmine red appearance. Powerful and complex bouquet combining black fruit, camphor notes and roasted aromas. Characterised by concentration on the palate with a long, fresh finish.

VINEYARD:

The Syrah is planted on Trias limestone marl near the estate buildings. The Grenache comes from the Portel plot. Oligocene limestone marl soils. The Carignan is on gravel with colluvium.

VINIFICATION:

Traditional vinification in temperature-controlled stainless steel vats. Long maceration (four weeks) with short daily pumpings-over for gentle extraction. 12 months in french oak barrels of 228 and 300L.

VITICULTURE:

The average density is 4,000 vines/hectare. Trained on wires with cordon de royat pruning for the Syrah. Gobelet pruning for the Grenache and Carignan. De-budding. Green harvesting. Low yields. Harvesting by hand in 10kg trays – sorted by hand.



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