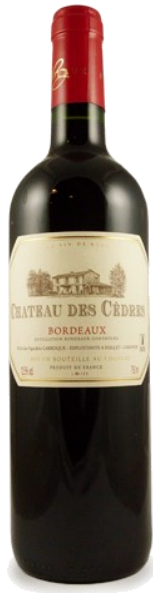


Château des Cèdres



VINTAGE	2014
REGION	Bordeaux
APPELLATION	Bordeaux
VARIETAL	80% Merlot 20% Cabernet Sauvignon
TERROIR	Limestone-clay, gravels
INFO	36 Ha (86.76 Acres) total vineyard 8 Ha (19.76 Acres) devoted to the Red Bordeaux AOP Aging in thermo-regulated tanks & 10% in oak barrels Fined / filtered Sustainable Agriculture Practices

About the Estate:

The total 36 hectares (86.76 Acres) vineyard of **Château des CEDRES** is situated in Paillet in the heart of the 1eres Cotes de Bordeaux and Cadillac Appellations. With an incredible and unobstructed view on the Garonne Valley at more than 120 meters altitude, the 86.45-acres vines have an exceptional exposure and natural draining. Cultivated following the Sustainable Agriculture practices for more than 15 years, **Château des CEDRES** produces very expressive Red Bordeaux, 1eres Cotes de Bordeaux, and also sweet white Cadillac Appellation wines.

As an introduction, let us use the words from a US customer's Newsletter concerning Château des CEDRES Bordeaux Rouge: "Hooray for the return of Bordeaux I can get excited about." The full comment continued to speak of the desire to have a real, attractive Bordeaux, with terroir expression, at an affordable price, just because "a good Red Bordeaux on a cold winter night is one of life's real pleasures." it is exactly what we liked from the first time we tasted the wines from Serge LARROQUE. They continue to provide us the same pleasure with an unmatched "Bordeaux expression," a traditional attractive label, and great value, from one vintage to another. Humble, Serge LARROQUE will tell that he does "nothing special" and that everything comes from the terroir... We are not sure, as nothing comes by chance, and Serge is a very hard worker, taking great care of every step.

Tasting Notes:

Nice ripe red fruits' nose, blackcurrant, just enough light oaky touches and soon to come, spices hints. Pretty good Cabernet nose & expression the good way... Easy everyday Bordeaux, soft and incredible value.

"Nose shows white pepper and sweet spices leading to deep color revealing the blackberry fruit we love from Merlot with a shot of Cab to give it a backbone and anchor the fruit." C. Heffley

Press Review:

Soon to come

2011 Vintage: « Gentle, with a light cherry and damson plum core. » - JM, Wine Spectator, Web 2014