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Domaine de la Garnaude

Frissons des Anges



VINTAGE 2023

REGION

Provence

APPELLATION

AOP Provence

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DGC Notre dame des Anges

VARIETAL

65% Grenache

35% Cinsault

ALCOHOL

12.5%

TERROIR

Sandstone sub-soil (siliceous & quartz) covered with "pelites" (red clay).

INFO

22 Ha. (54.4 acres) total vineyard. 2 Ha. (4.95 Acres) for Frissons des Anges

Harvest started Aug. 21st 2023

Gravity reception of the grapes, destemming, crushing, coldmaceration, settling & 3 week fermentation in thermo controlled vats.

Sustainable Agriculture Practices - HVE 3 farm certified having high environmental value.

About the Estate:

Founded more than 250 years ago, Domaine de la Garnaude is a magnificent vineyard located near the charming village of Gonfaron in Provence (were cicadas sing) in the heart of the Var district (22 miles away from St. Tropez). Fanny (winemaker) & her husband Anthony Lamoot, helped by their 3 children, acquired the estate in 2013 and launched a full conversion of the growing methods.

Located within the interior valley of the Maures mountain range, the vines are planted on a clay-limestone soil and surrounded by the Plaine des Maures nature reserve, extraordinary reservoir of biodiversity, and over 180 protected species! Ideal semi-continental climate without marine influence. Cool and humid winters, hot and dry summer with the thermal amplitude offer great phenolic maturities, while preserving the berries' acidity. Each plot is surrounded by hedges of shrubs or trees in order to shelter a biodiversity favorable to the vine. Minimum soil weeding plowing and natural grassing one row out of two. On fallow plots, are sown rye, barley, fodder radish, fodder peas and clover to compete with weeds to feed and loosen the soil.

Vintage notes to come.

What about "Notre Dame des Anges": Since 2005, the vineyards of Cotes de Provence has been highlighting the diversity of their terroirs by creating five terroirs designations; "Dénomination Géographique Complémentaire": Sainte-Victoire, Fréjus, La Londe, Pierrefeu & Notre Dame des Anges, in 2020. Frissons des Anges will send a shiver down your spine!

Tasting Notes:

"It's a gourmet Rose, with plenty of body & viscosity, an explosion of flavors" Fanny Lamoot

More to come

Press Review: Soon to come

2021 Vint.: "Filed with bright fruit & explosive red fruit flavors, the wine is crisply delicious . A pure line of acidity through the wine, giving a juicy character & a lively lemon zest aftertaste ." Roger Voss 91 Pts Wine Enthusiast