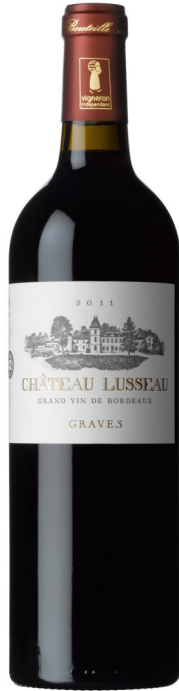


Château Lusseau



VINTAGE	2019
REGION	Bordeaux
APPELLATION	Graves
VARIETAL	60% Cabernet Sauvignon 30% Merlot 10% Malbec
ALCOHOL	13.5%
TERROIR	Gravels, sand, deep layers of clay
INFO	7 Ha (17.29 Acres) total vineyard & 4 Ha (9.88 Acres) devoted to Lusseau Red from 3 plots, planted 1961, 71 & 89 Hand harvested; Higher proportion of Cab. Franc following spring's frost & lost on Merlot. Malolactic in concrete tanks then 13 months ageing in 1 to 3 years old French oak barrels. Bottled May 2021. Only 350 Cs produced out of the 10 acres. Unfined / Filtered Certified ORGANIC

About the Estate:

A family estate for several generations, Château LUSSEAU is a 19th century building situated in Aygue-mortes-les-Graves, a few miles away from Bordeaux, bordering the Pessac-Léognan Appellation. The estate represents only 7 hectares (16.29 acres) of vines on soils of gravels on top of layers of clay, predominantly planted with Red grapes and cultivated like a garden, being ORGANIC Certified since 2010 Vintage.

Since 1997, the young Béréngère QUELLIEN (who is also a graduated oenologist) has run the estate and taken care of the vinification, while Jean-Thomas QUELLIEN and Marie Neige de GRANVILLIERS keep sharing their experience of the viticulture with their daughter. Since then, slowly but surely, Béréngère made her "revolution" at the Château LUSSEAU wines – a feminine and unmatched "touch."

After nearly 20 years of relationship with Château LUSSEAU and Béréngère, we are not only happy and confident... but also proud to suggest you these jewels not to miss. Eric ASIMOV from NYT, selected & rated 3*** the 2009 Vintage as Best Wine & Value in 2012.

Rather similar than 2015, superb vintage and ideal weather for this 2018: a but humid spring, then very hot and dry summer with a cool and sunny early spring.

Tasting Notes:

"The 2019 Chateau Lusseau sports a ruby / purple hue as well as pretty nose of red and blue fruits, minty herbs & spring flowers. Medium-bodied & elegant on the palate, with fine tannins, this floral, pretty wine can be drunk anytime over the coming decade or so. Freshness & elegance are the buzzwords here." **89+ Pts** *Jeb Dunnuck*

Food Pairing:

Dry aged beef. Meat stock reduction sauces. Thick, juicy, gourmet burgers. - Craig Heffley, NC

Press Review:

"The estate has produced a wine with stylish black currant & gentle tannins. It's a fine wine, with the fruitiness of the vintage, the black currant fruits along with structure & potential." **90 Pts** *Roger Voss - Wine Enthusiast*

2018 Vint.: 91 Pts Wine Enthusiast