HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Château Brane Cantenac 2016, 2ème Cru Classé, Margaux



Price	£100.00
Code	BRANE045

Another very impressive wine form this property, possibly surpassing the excellent 2015, shows that it really is punching to its 2nd Growth status. A powerful style of Margaux, nevertheless retaining its expected charm and elegance. A great wine this vintage.

Tasting Notes:

Almost opaque in colour, the bouquet is rich in black fruits with overtones of cedar wood. The palate is finely integrated, despite very firm tannins, and shows a quite astonishing complexity.

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Specification	
Vinification	Modern vinification techniques including temperature-controlled fermentation and pumping-over have been applied. The wine is aged in barrels for 16-20 months before bottling.
ABV	13.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2026 through to 2040
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Margaux
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	70% Cabernet Sauvignon, 27% Merlot, 2% Cabernet Franc, 1% Carmenere
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2016
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château Brane Cantenac
Producer Overview	The vineyards of this château are located to the west of the village of Cantenac. Proprietor Henri Lurton has improved the quality in the vines, regrafting previously planted Merlot to high quality Cabernet Sauvignon.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Delicious with beef ribs with mushrooms, bacon and potatoes.