HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Château Ducru-Beaucaillou 2015, 2éme Grand Cru Classé



Price	£179.00
Code	DUCR085

Once again a truly great claret from Château Ducru Beaucaillou. This 49 hectare estate has recently been in outstanding form to maintain its reputation as a 'Super Second Growth'. Bruno Borie has continued to reduce the quantity of Ducru produced, nearly halving the quantity since 2003. La Croix de Beaucaillou, the chateau's second (and also very impressive) wine, now accounts for a greater share of the crop than the first wine. This has resulted in the quality of Ducru Beaucaillou sky rocketing.

Tasting Notes:

Aged in 100% new oak for 18 months, this Ducru shows power, depth and immense fruit intensity. The tannins are sturdy but without excessive edge and the wine is brooding, tightly knit with perfect balance. Outstanding!

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Specification	
Vinification	Aged in 100% new oak for 18 months
ABV	13.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2028 through to 2040
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Saint-Julien
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	95% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Merlot
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2015
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château Ducru-Beaucaillou
Producer Overview	Château Ducru-Beaucaillou was built in 1720 and began acquiring its excellent reputation, both domestically and internationally, under the careful ownership of the Bergeron family.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Enjoy with a classic beef wellington.