



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Château La Mission Haut-Brion 2011 Pessac Leognon

Price	£341.00
Code	MISS020

This is a brilliant wine, a big, sexy classic La Mission, in fact one of the vintage's stars. Unfortunately though the production of the 2011 La Mission-Haut-Brion was only 4,100 cases,

Tasting Notes:

"What a beautiful nose of Cabernet Sauvignon with currants, berries and hints of dark chocolate. Full and super silky with fine tannins and a very firm and long finish. Very long." James Suckling





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Specification	
ABV	13.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2020 through to 2030
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Pessac-Léognan
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 34% Merlot, and 11% Cabernet Franc
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2011
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château La Mission Haut-Brion
Producer Overview	Surrounded by the urban sprawl of Bordeaux and facing each other across the street are Châteaux Haut Brion and La Mission Haut Brion. The modern history of Mission Haut Brion dates from 1919 when Frédéric Woltner bought the estate. He, together with his sons, revitalised La Mission, installing the, then, cutting edge technology of temperature-controlled fermentation and restructuring the vineyards. However the next generation of Woltners fell into discord and sold La Mission Haut Brion to Domaine Clarence Dillon SA, owners of Château Haut Brion in 1983, bringing the two neighbours under the same ownership. Since then, La Mission Haut Brion has grown considerably in reputation and ranks among the best château, not only in Pessac-Léognan, but in Bordeaux as a whole. Read more online
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Very good matched with beef fillet with porcini and girolle mushrooms.