HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Château La Vieille Cure 2020, Fronsac



Price	£32.00
Code	CURE025

Big and powerful with notable extraction. Very much ‘where Bordeaux meets the Napa Valley!

Tasting Notes:

Dark in the glass, broodingly powerful nose with dense, succulent mulled black fruits, raisined berries and boiled jam notes. This is blackstrap fruit, dense liqourice, black olives balanced with a smoky, peppery tannin structure leading to a hedonistic finish. Warming and generous, this is a thick, heady and full bodied wine. American Claret!

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Specification	
Vinification	Yields of 44hl/ha. Aged between 12 and 15 months in 70% new oak barrel (merrain)
ABV	15%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2026 through to 2032
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Fronsac
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	80% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Franc, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2020
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château La Vieille Cure
Producer Overview	This small 16ha estate is the reference point for Fronsac, consistently one of the top performing Châteaux of the appellation. Owned by Americans, Colin Ferenbach and Peter Sachs, the winemaking is directed by consultant oenologist, Michel Rolland.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Great with rib eye steak and onion rings.