HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Château Léoville Poyferré 2016, 2ème Cru Classé

Price	£125.00
Code	LEOV290

A beautiful, harmonious wine that will be much sought after. The period of continuous improvement continues and this château is now amongst the finest châteaux of St-Julien.

Tasting Notes:

An intriguing, inviting nose, offering fragrance and beauty. This is a powerful Leoville Poyferre, with a decadent style that seems more complete and muscular than previous vintages. A great density of ripe cassis fills the moth and is well supported with firm tannins and a hint of cedar and wood smoke. A very fine wine.



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Specification	
Vinification	Aged in 80% new oak
ABV	13.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2026 through to 2055
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Saint-Julien
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot, 2% Cabernet Franc, 5% Petit Verdot
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2016
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château Leoville-Poyferré
Producer Overview	Owned by the Cuvelier family since 1921, the third of the Léoville's has been regarded as the most lightweight for decades. That changed when Didier Cuvelier took charge in the 1970's, and a period of continuous improvement now sees this château amongst the finest châteaux of St-Julien. For me this was one of wines of the vintage. Aged in 80% new oak, a big impressive and weighty wine, richly structured, voluptuous and generous.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Enjoy with roast ribs of beef and yorkshire pudding with a horseradish, crème fraiche and mustard sauce.