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Châteauneuf-du-Pape 2014, Château de Beaucastel

Price: £52.00
Product Code: BCAS230

Description:

This 131ha domaine is one of the most important in the appellation and was one of the first to practise organic viticulture – no herbicides, insecticides or any other chemical. Château de Beaucastel is also famed for using all 13 permitted grape varieties in its final blend. Yields are low at 30hl/ha from vines that average 50 years old.

Tasting Notes:

91-93 points Vinous - "Deep ruby. Potent smoke- and peppery spice-tinged cherry and black raspberry aromas are complemented by suggestions of licorice, smoked meat and candied flowers. Densely packed and taut on entry, unfolding quickly to offer sweet black raspberry and cherry-cola flavors that are given vivacity and spine by juicy acidity. Concentrated yet energetic in style, offering excellent closing thrust, smooth tannins and lingering notes of sweet dark berries and spicecake."

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Specification:

Product Code: BCAS230
Price: £52.00
ABV: 14.5%
Size: 75cl
Drinking Window: Drink from 2024 through to 2035
Region: Rhône Valley
Country: France
Sub Region: Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Type: Red Wine
Grapes: Grenache
Genres: Biodynamic, Fine Wine, Organic
Vintage: 2014
Style: N/A
Body: Hearty, rustic and full flavoured
Producer: Château de Beaucastel