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Gigondas 'Les Racines' 2024, Domaine Les Pallières (6x75cl)



Price	£150.00
Code	PALL175

From the oldest vines in front of the winery in a sunny, sheltered amphitheatre, fermented with 20% stems and aged 20 months in 60 hl French oak foudres, the 2024 Gigondas Racines is a wine of elegance and power.

Tasting Notes:

The nose shows black fruits, tapenade, pepper and garrigue with floral lift. Dense, velvety and structured on the palate, with fine tannins and a precise, long finish. It is slightly more powerful and concentrated than the Terrasses du Diable cuvée, showcasing the gravitas and character of the oldest vines.

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Specification	
Vinification	Its low-yielding vines thrive on high-altitude terraces (250–400m), producing wines with remarkable structure and intense minerality. Aged for 20 months in 60hl French oak foudres, it is bottled and released after two years, showcasing both power and finesse.
Size	75cl
Country	France
Region	Rhône Valley
Area	Gigondas
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	80% Grenache, 15% Syrah/Cinsault, 5% Clairette
Genres	En Primeur, Fine Wine
Vintage	2024
Body	Hearty, rustic and full flavoured
Producer	Domaine Les Pallières
Producer Overview	Perhaps the finest estate in Gigondas and certainly one of the finest estates in the Southern Rhône. 25 hectares of vines, with an average age of 65-70 years, sitting in its own elevated hidden bowl, facing north west and surrounded by 100 hectares of wild garrigue.
Closure Type	Cork