

"Les Volières"



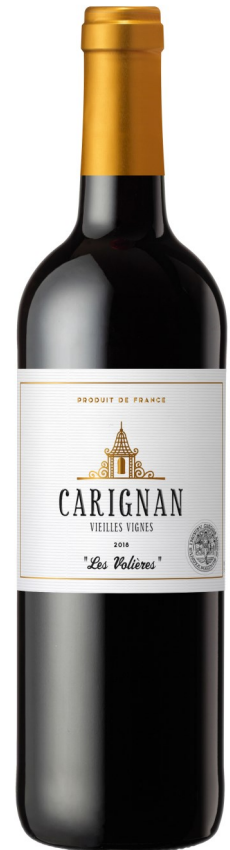
Carignan Vieilles Vignes "Les Volières" offers everything you love about French classic red wine. The name "Les Volières" *birdhouse in French* makes reference to a specific place name close to the vineyards where this wine was born. Through the Languedoc wine region, you can discover an exceptional architectural heritage with many ancient stone shelters often called "Volières", as birds are used to rest and nest therein...

Crafted from a rich vine growing and winemaking heritage and made of an old indigenous grape variety, the Carignan Vieilles Vignes "Les Volières" is a true reflection of its Terroir.

The Pays d'Hérault appellation area is located between the French Mediterranean coastline and the Black Mountains. Here, the beautiful landscapes come from a merger of civilisations. In ancient times, Iberians, Etruscans, Ligurians and the Celts settled there. Later on, the Greeks and the Romans also left their traces in the region. Old structures can still be visited today and of course, the winemaking traditions of the area are a heritage of this past.

Alcohol content: 12,5%

Residual sugar: 8g



Winemaking

The grapes used to craft this top quality wine are carefully selected from our oldest Carignan vines, in unique terroirs. They are harvested early in the morning when the temperatures are low. A small percentage of the grapes go through the process of thermovinification to extract fruity aromas. This part of the wine is fermented at low temperature. The other part follows a traditional winemaking process in stainless steel tanks. This way, the colour is extracted naturally from the skins. During 20 days, the juices are pumped-over twice a day before being fermented. 50% of the wine is aged under the influence of French oak for 5 months.

Carignan Vieilles Vignes

Colour: Bright ruby.

Nose: Abundance of black and red berries with nutmeg and toasty hints.

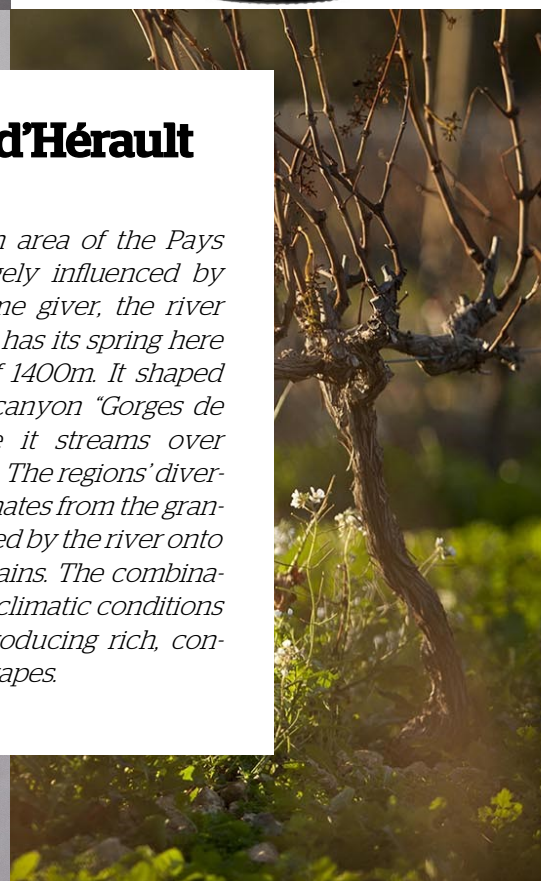
Taste: Full-flavoured and easy-drinking, with a smooth texture. Subtle notes of cedar on the length.

Enjoy with grilled vegetables, Beef fillet, strawberries Tiramisu...

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The production area of the Pays d'Hérault is hugely influenced by the regions' name giver, the river "Hérault" which has its spring here at an altitude of 1400m. It shaped the impressing canyon "Gorges de l'Hérault" where it streams over 148km to the sea. The regions' diversity of soils originates from the granite earth deposited by the river onto the limestone plains. The combination of soils and climatic conditions is perfect for producing rich, concentrated, ripe grapes.



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