







## Les Côteaux Red Saint Joseph Domaine Eric & Joel Durand

The vineyard is owned by two brothers: Eric and Joël. Their vineyards cover 22 ha (8,5 ha of Saint Joseph, 9.5 ha of Cornas, 2 ha de St peray and 2 ha of Vin de Pays). They took over the family estate and started bottling our wine in 1991. They work hard to ensure their harvests will be fully expressive of the terroir. They love wines that have personality but are still fine and elegant.



100% Syrah



In the south of the St Joseph appellation area. The vines are planted on steep hills facing south-south-west. Granite soils. Vines : 20 to 30 years old - 7,5 ha - Yield : 38 hl/ha



The grapes are harvested when their balance is at its best. Fermentation starts after destemming and cold maceration for 4 days at 8°C. The cap is punched every day by hand. The length of vinification depends on the harvest's potential (15 to 28 days).



The soft fruity wines are matured in concrete vats and the more concentrated ones for 12 months in barrels (225I) used 1 to 5 times.



Ripe nose of red fruit, full fleshy mouth, nice concentration with rounded tannins.



Red meat, meat casseroles, grilled meat



6 to 10 years



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