

# Domaine Albert de Conti Bergerac Rouge La Vigne d'Albert



- Domaine Albert de Conti was established in 1963 in the village of Saint-Julien d'Eymet.
- For many years a part of Château Tour des Gendres, Albert's grandchildren Guillaume and Paul de Conti, joined by the cellar master, Yann Lecoindre, have reestablished the stand-alone estate.
- All farming is organic and the team is implementing biodynamic and agroforestry methods to restore and strengthen the natural balance of the land.
- Innovation is at the forefront of this young estate, as the team wishes to highlight the Périgord IGP and grape varieties that are not part of the Bergerac AOP.
- Domaine Albert de Conti represents the bright future of this ancient region.

### **APPELLATION**

Bergerac

## **SUB-REGION**

Bergerac

## **GRAPE VARIETY**

Périgord (Mérille), Abouriou, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Côt, Fer Servadou

# **FARMING**

Certified Organic

#### **SOIL**

Clay, limestone

## **VINEYARDS & VITICULTURE**

The vineyard is over a limestone bedrock that grants minerality to the wines. Grapes come from 60 year-old vines planted by Albert de Conti, and the label is a portrait of Albert himself.

## **HARVEST & VINIFICATION**

All bunches are destemmed before being put directly into the vats using native yeasts (using the pied de cuve method of doing a very small pre-harvest to start the natural fermentation going). 20 days of maceration, during which a quick fermentation takes place until there is no residual sugar left. The wine is then left on the lees without additional sulfites in stainless-steel vats and amphoras. The wine was bottled without being filtered in May of the following year without the addition of sulfur.

# **ALCOHOL BY VOLUME**

13.0

#### **PACK SIZE**

12x750mL



