Joseph Castan
FINE WINE

SECRET DES GALETS

AOP Côtes du Rhône Villages Plan de Dieu

RED

TERROIR • Located to the east of the town of Orange, the Plan de Dieu terroir is a vast alluvial terrace formed like an interland between the Aigues and Ouvèze rivers. It is surmounted by quaternary limestone pebbles. These deposits lie alternately on blue clay and sandstone safres. Plan de Dieu complete exposure to the Mistral wind ensures the vineyards remain in excellence health. The optimal amount of sunshine allows the grapes to reach perfect ripeness.

WINEMAKING • Syrah, Grenache and Mourvèdre are vinified in a traditional temperature-controlled manner. The two-week maceration period creates an attractive fruit with soft tannins.

BLEND • 50% Grenache, 35% Syrah, 15% Mourvèdre

TASTING NOTES • Intense coloured, dark red wine with mauve reflections, which releases generous berry and spice flavours. The texture of this wine is pleasant, structured and round on the palate. The tannins are smooth and offer a beautiful fruity persistence.

FOOD PAIRINGS • This wine will wonderfully match cooked meat dishes, such as herb-roasted lamb or Provencal daube. *«But it will always be at its best when enjoyed in good company!»*

SERVING • Between 17 and 18°C. .

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