

The area called Les Garants is one of the Fleurie appellation area's most noble granitic terroirs. Very well sited (South-West facing) and harvested at full ripeness, the grapes from these vines give a concentrated cuvée. The result, in the mouth, is dense and long, foretelling of really good cellaring potential. The fruit is intense, lively and "sappy". A cuvée worthy of being called "Queen of Beaujolais"!



Fleurie

Les Garants



VIGNES & TERROIRS:

Grape Variety: Gamay

Color: Red Vintage: 2023

Age of vines: 45 years

Terroir: Pink granitic soil with mica and quartz

Exposure: South West

Type of culture: Sustainable agriculture with HVE3

Certification, pruning Gobelet Type of harvest: Manual harvest

Density feet/ha: 10 000

Surface: 3.5 Ha Yield: 40 hL/Ha

Production: 7 000 bottles % vol alcohol: 14%



VINIFICATION & AGING:

Vinification: Traditional vinification of Beaujolais: halfcarbonic maceration with whole bunch with two pumping per day, maceration from 10 to 12 days in concrete vats with indigenous yeasts

Aging: 6 to 8 months 90% in recent oak tuns "foudres" and 10% in new oak barrels

Cellaring: 3 to 10 years. Peak between 3 and 6 years



TASTING NOTES:

Eye: Deep crimson robe with purple tints.

Nose: Quite intense and delicate. A floral bouquet with spicy notes.

Palate: Full and generous, fruit is intense, lively and sappy. Blackcurrant, redcurrant and the North American black raspberry or black cap are at the fore with a touch of vanilla, long at the end.



MATCHING IT WITH FOOD:

All meats and poultry Serving temperature: 15 °C

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