



Burgundy

Jean Paul Selles Domaine des 4 Cerisiers 2007 Julienas

This Beaujolais village Gamay is stunning and full of ripe black cherry aroma and flavor. Jean Paul Selles has a long history of producing high quality wines from this region. Earth and spice characteristics balance out the wine on the finish giving it the complexity and strength to evolve for several years.

Jean Paul Selles Pierre Valetin 2007 Hautes Cotes de Beaune

100% Pinot Noir from Bourgogne. Nicely balanced with elegant berry and cassis backed by peppery wood notes showing on the finish. The higher elevated vineyards produce fruit which is bright and very accessible in the first few years, showing good clarity and crispness.



Southern Rhone

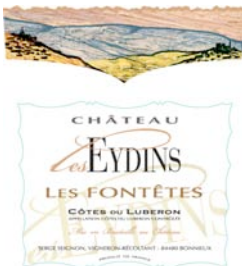
Chateau Les Eydins Cuvee des Consuls 2006 Cotes du Luberon (Organic)

Producer Serge Seignon makes this wine organically at the small family estate near the town of Bonnieux in the Luberon Mountains. The blend of 70% Grenache, 20% Carignan and 10% Syrah from vines with an average age of 45 years is meaty, complex and still evolving. Dark black fruits framed by chocolate and coffee with peppery edges.



Chateau Les Eydins Les Fontetes 2007 Cotes du Luberon (Organic)

Coming from the stellar 2007 vintage in the Southern Rhone, 70% Syrah and 30% Grenache. The nose exhibits lavender and blueberry with hints of smoke and bacon fat. On the palate, dark fruits are balanced by white pepper and garrigue. An organic wine giving lots of complexity and pleasure.

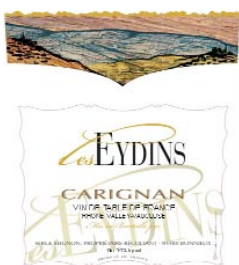


Chateau Les Eydins 2003 "Old Vine" Carignan (Organic)

87 Points- Wine Spectator

"Mouthfilling with lots of pepper, tobacco and garrigue notes. Finishes with a pleasantly gamy hint. Drink Now."

This is the estate's top wine grown organically on old vines, averaging 37 years in age. Quite a rare achievement by winemaker Serge Seignon.





Cave du Verger Esprit d'Henri 2006 Cotes du Rhone

Harvested from vineyards bordering Chateauneuf-du-Pape. Racy red fruit flavors give this wine density and complexity. Oak-aged and full of jammy, savory red fruit including raspberry and currant. Silky tannins provide a smooth and satisfying finish. A Grenache/Syrah blend from the Cave du Verger in the heart of Chateauneuf.



Cave du Verger St. Henri 2005 Chateauneuf-Du-Pape **89 points - Wine Spectator**

"This offers medium-bodied notes of dark currant, fig cake, tar and iron. Chewy on the finish, with lingering game, currant and olive notes. Drink now through 2020. Tasted twice, with consistent notes. 400 cases made." Another top-notch wine from Cave du Verger, 12-18 months in oak, Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre.



Domaine le Soustet 2005 Chateauneuf-Du-Pape

Soil expert-turned-winemaker makes this wine in Courthezon. Gilles Rouillon culls his grapes from family-owned plots near Chateauneuf-du-Pape. Average age of vines is 30 years. A Grenache and Syrah blend that shows roasted red fruits with smoke and leather on the finish. Good acidity provides balance and a touch of elegance.



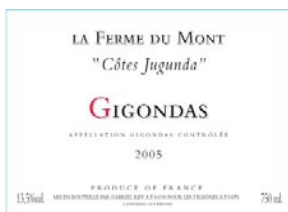
Domaine le Soustet 2006 Cotes du Rhone

Soil expert-turned-winemaker makes this wine in Courthezon. Gilles Rouillon culls his grapes from family-owned plots near Chateauneuf-du-Pape. Grenache/Syrah. Bright cherry fruit with a touch of spice. A classic Cotes du Rhone if there ever was one.



La Ferme du Mont "Premier Cote" 2007 Cotes du Rhone

Another great success for 2007! Stephane Vedeau has been receiving accolades from the likes of Robert Parker, Jancis Robinson and Wine Spectator since undertaking his new project in the Southern Rhone. Grenache, Syrah and Mourvedre. Extremely well balanced and intriguing. Black cherry fruit with vanilla edges that finishes with just the right amount of earth and spice.



La Ferme du Mont "Cotes Jugunda" 2006 Gigondas

Cotes Jugunda was the first La Ferme du Mont wine to get our attention and continues to be a wonderful Gigondas in the 2006 vintage. Grenache and Syrah, partially aged in oak. Stewed fruits entice the nose while a medium-bodied palate of raspberry and cassis fills the mouth. Elegantly structured with plenty of depth and finish.



VMV 2007 Cotes du Ventoux Rose (Organic)

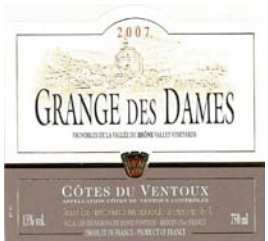
“Nice and firm, with a stony edge keeping the core of cherry and strawberry fruit together. Fresh finish. Drink Now.” -Wine Spectator

This classic organic rose from the Vignerons of Mount Ventoux in Provence is full of dazzling fruit flavors: strawberry, cherry and red currant. Average age of Grenache, Carignan and Cinsault vines are 15 years.



VMV 2008 Chardonnay-Viognier Vin de Pays de Mediterranee

60% Chardonnay, 40% Viognier from the Vignerons of Mount Ventoux Cooperative in Bedoin, France near Mount Ventoux. Ripe tropical fruits escape the glass and delight the nose. Delicious and tangy tree fruits are framed with lighter notes of citrus and a sharp, bright finish.



VMV Grange des Dames 2007 Cotes du Ventoux Rouge

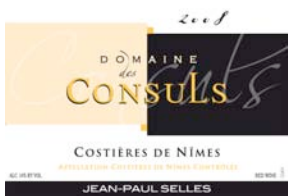
Another excellent offering from the Vignerons of Mount Ventoux, in the 2007 vintage. Darkly colored and full-flavored, blackberry and blueberry with charred smoky edges and tight grip on the finish. A powerful wine for the price.



VMV Elite 2006 Cotes du Ventoux Rouge

60% Grenache, 40% Syrah. A significant part of the cuvee is barrel-aged. Very well structured and medium-to-full bodied with cherry and raspberry, edges of vanilla and spice touched by oak. Nice anise note on the finish. Sturdy enough to evolve over the next few years.

Languedoc-Roussillon



Jean Paul Selles Domaine des Consuls 2007 Costieres de Nimes

Sourced from vineyards very close to the Southern Rhone and benefiting from the excellent 2007 harvest. This Grenache, Carignan and Syrah blend is bold and darkly colored with plenty of full blackberry fruits spiced with garrigue and earth notes on the finish.



La Melia 2004 Montpeyroux (Coteaux du Languedoc)

This cru wine from Montpeyroux in the Coteaux du Languedoc has deep roasted fruit aromas and flavors accented with spice and “garrigue.” Rich raspberry and smoky plum followed by a bite of anise. Another accomplishment by Stephane Vedeau, his personal vineyards. Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre, Carignan.