

## Domaine Albert de Conti

### Bergerac Rouge La Vigne d'Albert

#### ABOUT THE ESTATE

- 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

