



## Domaine des Pères de l'Eglise

**Cuvée Le Calice de Saint Pierre | AOC Châteauneuf du Pape | Red Wine**  
A blend of the different terroirs which gives complexity, powerness, freshness and length



**Grape varieties:** Grenache 85%, Mourvèdre 10%, Syrah 5%.

**Vinification method:** Long maceration in concrete tanks.

**Ageing:** 12 months in foudres (50%), barrels (30%) and concrete tank (20%).

**Tasting notes:** Deep garnet colour with purple reflections. Nose is complex aromas of stewed red fruits (blackcurrant, blackberry, crushed strawberry) prune jam and notes of almonds. An expression of garrigue on the palate with a mineral finish and smoky notes.

A great wine for ageing 10-20 years.

**Food pairing:** Red meat in sauce, quail, pigeon, duck.



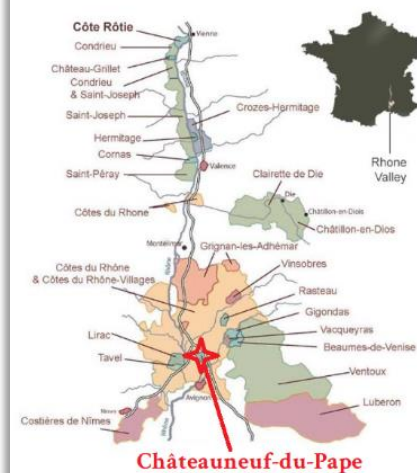
### The Grower

A family Domaine for six generations in Châteauneuf du Pape. Today, Laetitia runs the domaine together with her uncle, Serge. The Domaine was founded in 1805, by Benoît Jouffron, an ancestor of Laetitia's grandmother, Paulette Gradassi. At the time, the Domaine was called "Les Terres Saintes". The Jouffron family is an old Châteauneuf du Pape family and, like many wine Domaines at the time, sold their harvest to a local merchant. Serge's grandfather, Jean Jouffron was born in 1900, and was an important figure in the appellation and the village. In 1992, the Domaine changed its name to "Domaine des Pères de l'Église" who were ecclesiastical authors, bishops. In 2017, Laetitia and Serge bought a plot of land in the commune of Saint Laurent des Arbres in order to diversify the range. Since 2020, the vineyard has been certified HVE and is gradually moving towards organic farming. Now, the 7th generation is on the way...

### The Terroir

This cuvee is a blend of the following terroir: large pebbles rolled with silica which promotes the power and opulence of the wines, red sandstone which brings very fine tannins, elegance and freshness, sands which are the realm of elegant and harmonious wines, red clays which produce wines with a silky tannic palette and aromatic power and, finally, limestones which will bring acidity.

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