Les Volets Chardonnay, IGP Haute Vallée de l'Aude 2024

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Maison Boutinot

— Aude, France

A range of wines from cooler terroirs, handcrafted by our winemaker, Guillaume Létang. Les Volets" translates to shutters". The kind of window shutter you find on almost every house in the south of France. As the shutters are absolutely typical of the villages of the Haute Vallée de l'Aude, so too are these wines completely expressive of the region. Now HVE3 sustainable certified.

Production

Pinched between the Atlantic and the Mediterranean is the Haute Vallée de L'Aude. The traditional 'noble' grape varieties of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir have a natural affinity here. Both varieties benefit from the warm climate combined with high altitude, allowing for slower and longer ripening of the grapes. These ideal growing conditions gives this wine concentrated fruit yet refreshing acidity. Made from mostly hand-picked grapes, which are are fermented in stainless steel with a touch of oak adding texture and complexity. The wine is grown and vinified sustainably, achieving HVE3 certification.

Tasting note

Crunchy yellow plum and brioche flavours shine though with bright acidity and a twist of toasted hazelnut coming from the oak influence. The style is succulent with a subtle savoury texture to the finish, resembling a Burgundian Chardonnay.

Food Match

Baked chicken with a creamy sauce, wild mushroom risotto or pasta with clams in white wine.

ABV:
12.50%

Case/Bottle Size:
6x 75cl

Closure:
Please Select

Category:
Sustainable

Winemaker:
Guillaume Létang

Grape Varieties:
Chardonnay 100%

Suitable for:
Vegan

Bottle Barcode:
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