

Cuvée Du Vatican

The 2015 Châteauneuf du Pape Cuvée Du Vatican is a solid effort, delivering modest cherries and spice, a full-bodied, creamy palate and a long, supple finish. It should drink well for 10 years or so.

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2015 Chateau Sixtine Châteauneuf-du-Pape Cuvée du Vatican

Spice, garrigue, licorice, black cherries and melted licorice all emerge from the 2015 Châteauneuf-du-Pape Cuvée du Vatican, and it's one seriously good,

unctuous, textured 2015. With full-bodied richness,

ripe, sweet tannins, and a big finish, it's going to be a total crowd pleaser over the coming 7-8 years. This cuvée over delivers in 2015 and is made from 65% Grenache, 25% Syrah, and the balance Mourvèdre, aged mostly in concrete tanks. - Jeb Dunnuck (10/19/2017) © 2017 Jeb Dunnuck | Reprinted with Permission

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Drinking window: (raised in a combination of foudres and mostly used barriques) Vivid ruby. Spice-accented red fruit, licorice

and potpourri aromas show very good clarity and an

Châteauneuf Du Pape, Southern Rhône

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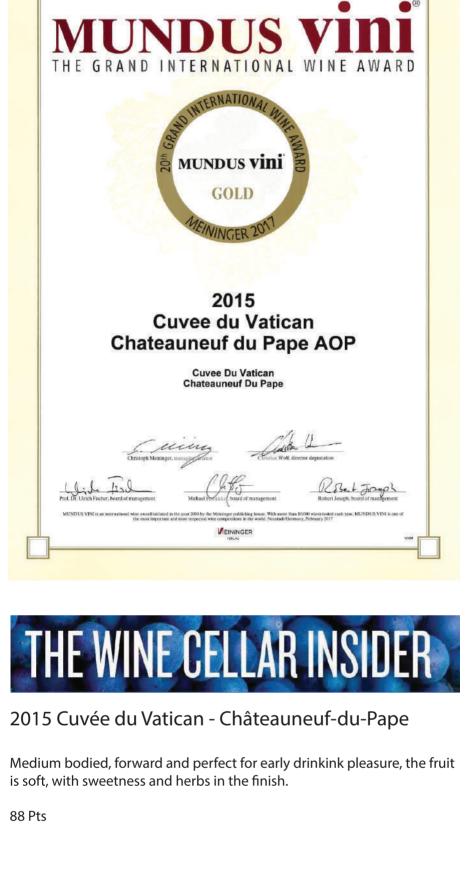
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energizing smoky mineral nuance. Sappy raspberry and boysenberry flavors stretch out and pick up a sexy floral quality with air. Shows very good depth and tension, carrying no excess fat and culminating in a long, juicy

finish framed by supple, harmonious tannins.

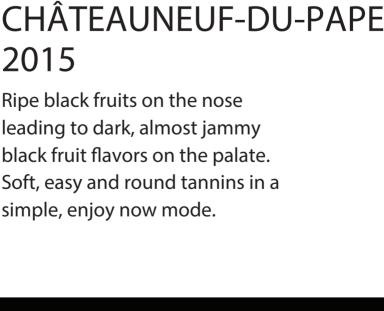
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