



CHATEAU
du
DOMAINE DE L'EGLISE
Pomerol



2002

The vineyard is located in the shade of the bell tower of Pomerol. It is one of the oldest estates in the Pomerol appellation. Its origin dates back to 1589. Belonging to the foundation of the Hospitaliers and the Church, it was sold in 1793 as a church property. It remained for a long time in the same family before being acquired in 1973 by Emile Castéja. Its vineyard, near to Pétrus, is mainly composed of Merlot. Château du Domaine de l'Église produces ample, round, enchanting, and also very elegant wines.

VINEYARD

SOIL :

Gravel, clay with veins of iron

GRAPE VARIETY :

95 % Merlot

5 % Cabernet Franc

WINE-MAKING PROCESS

Carefully vinified, fermentation and maceration during four weeks. Aged in oak barrels (about 60 % of new barrels) for 18 months.



TASTING

Some good berry, mineral and cherry character. Firm, refined tannins.

BLEND 2002:

90 % Merlot

10 % Cabernet Franc

MATCHING WITH FOOD

It can be served on game, venison, wild boar, beef meat, lamb and cheese.

TASTING NOTE(S)

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