



CHATEAU
du
DOMAINE DE L'EGLISE
Pomerol



2006

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

Château du Domaine de l'Eglise 2006 is lively dark and ruby in colour, in the nose a complex mix of numerous red and black fruit, cherry, orange sorbet, cocoa, and elegant hints of toast. On the palate it has a graceful structure of tannins, the complexity and elegance of a great Pomerol. 2006 is one of the best vintages of the last decades in Pomerol.

BLEND 2006:

94 % Merlot

6 % Cabernet Franc

MATCHING WITH FOOD

With delicious red meat, venison or wild boar, with dark sauces or cheese.

TASTING NOTE(S)

GAULT ET MILLAU 94

J. SUCKLING 93

J. ROBINSON 93

RVF 93

B+D 92

LE POINT 94

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