

Domaine Girard – Classique | IGP Pays d'Oc Chardonnay France (STREEKWIJN/IGP) – 2023

Domain

Dom. Girard

The domain is located in the picturesque village of Alaigne, west of Carcassonne at the foot of the Pyrenees. Wine has been made in this family domain for four generations. In 2000, Philippe and Jean-François Girard took over the domain from their parents. They expanded the vineyards to a total area of 30 hectares. These are located on the Malepère massif, influenced by both the Atlantic and the Mediterranean, making for an exceptional terroir. They work very durable and towards zero pesticides.

Vinification

Direct pressing with selection of the most qualitative juices. The clear juices are then vinified in vats at temperatures of 18-20°, and will then be stabilized by the cold. The duration of the maturation in stainless steel vats lasts only a few months in order to preserve all the freshness and the aromatic expression of the grape variety.

Taste

Very lively on the nose with aromas of green apple and citrus. In the mouth a nice concentration of fruit and some minerality. A chardonnay in its pure form without wood aging, with beautiful freshness and complexity. A well-balanced wine of decent length.

Food pairing

Salades | Fish - grilled | Crustacea | Aperitif

General information

Type: White wine

Grape varieties: Chardonnay

Viticulture: Traditional

Storage (years): + 2-3

Serving temperature: 8-10 °C

Taste profile: Round smooth



