

CHÂTEAU
CLOS
DE
BOÛARD

Notes de dégustation
Millésime 2016

- James Suckling** 93-94 : *«Vibrant fruit here with plum, berry and blackberry character. Full body, firm tannins and a fresh finish. Lovely subtle fruit and structure here. New wine from de Bouïard family.»*
- Jeff Leve « The Wine Cellar Insider »** 92-93 : *The first vintage for the young Coralie de Bouard, who also owns La Fleur de Bouard in Lalande de Pomerol. The wine is deep in color with purple accents. The nose offers suggestions of flowers, black raspberries, plum and licorice. On the palate, the soft, silky textured, lush styled wine offers sweet, ripe, berries with freshness and the perfect hint dark chocolate in the end note. The wine was produced from a blend of 85% Merlot, 11% Cabernet Franc and 5% Cabernet Sauvignon. It really is a very good wine and an amazing first effort!*
- Jancis Robinson** 16,5/20: *Rather savoury and meaty. Rich and sweet. Like essence of St-Émilion! Pretty impressive...Drink 2021- 2028*
- Christer Byklum** 91-93 : *«Ruby. Dark berries, some coffe, ripe, blackberries, floral high notes nose. Fresh acidity, ripe tannins, fruity, dark berries, some spices, anise, long.»*
- Jean-Marc Quarin** 16/20
- Vert de Vin** 16,25 : *(80% Merlot, 5% Sauvignon, 10% Franc) Le nez est fruité, équilibré, racé et offre une fine puissance ainsi qu'une fine richesse. On y retrouve des notes de mûre mûre/juteuse et de fines pointes de myrtille associées à une pointe de petits fruits rouges frais, à de discrètes pointes de chocolat noir et à une subtile pointe d'épices. La bouche est fruitée, juteuse et offre une jolie maturité, de la tension, une belle expression, de la suavité ainsi qu'une jolie trame fraîche. En bouche ce vin exprime des notes de mûre fraîche, de framboise fraîche et de fines*

notes de myrtille/cerise noire fraîche associées à de fines pointes de baies rouges, à une discrète pointe de chocolat, de toasté ainsi qu'à une très discrète pointe de chocolat noir/épices douces sur la persistance. Les tannins sont fins et soyeux. Belle expression ! (80% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet Franc)

The nose is fruity, well-balanced, racy, finely powerful and offers a fine richness. It reveals notes of ripe / juicy blackberry and slight hints of blueberry combined with a touch of fresh red berries, discreet hints of dark chocolate and a subtle hint of spice. The mouth is fruity, juicy and offers a nice maturity, tension, a beautiful expression, suavity as well as a nice fresh frames. On the palate, this wine expresses notes of fresh ripe blackberry, fresh raspberry and slight notes of fresh blueberries / black cherries combined with slight hints of red berry, a discreet hint of chocolate, toasted hints as well as a very discreet hint of dark chocolate / sweet spices on the persistence. Tannins are fine and silky. Beautiful expression!

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