

M. CHAPOUTIER,
NORTHERN & SOUTHERN RHÔNE, FRANCE

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1858

CONDRIEU 'INVITARE'



DETAILS OF PRODUCTION

The slopes of this appellation are as steep as those of the Côte-Rôtie Appellation. Soils, exposed to South and South-East, consist of granite arena and alluvial deposits of same nature. Grapes are hand-harvesting at optimal maturity. After pressing, the must is cold-settling for 48 hours. Alcoholic fermentation occurs at temperatures between 16 and 18°C with a part ageing in oak casks. The ageing is short, about 8 months, on lees in order to preserve the freshness and the varietal character of the grape variety.

TASTING NOTES

Deep gold, golden yellow with a greenish tint. Very fruity on the nose with exotic fruit (pineapple, lichee) and acacia flower and a hint of smoke brought by the oak. The palate is very well balanced, full, with a nice freshness which gives a great elegance to this wine.

HOW TO SERVE

An excellent aperitive. Works well with soft goat's cheese and also with oriental and asian foods.

"A flat-out great example of the appellation, it offers lots of caramelized peaches, tangerine, orange blossom and crushed rock-like characteristics in its rich, yet fresh and elegant style. 95 points"

JEB DUNNUCK, WINE ADVOCATE, 30TH DECEMBER 2016
CONDRIEU, INVITARE 2015

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VINTAGE
2015
STYLE
White
BLEND OF GRAPES
100% Viognier
WINEMAKER
Michel Chapoutier
ALCOHOL
13.5%

