



FAMILLE CHAUSSY (MAS DE BOISLAUZON)

Region: Southern Rhône (Vaucluse) Village: Châteauneuf du Pape

Winemaker: Jaurice Chaussy-Leger, Contine Chaussy-Leger, and Arlaud Chaussy

Property: (Mas de Boislauzon) 10 hectares Châteauneuf du Pape, 20 hectares in Côtes du Rhône Villages on the Northern border of Châteauneuf du Pape.

A family estate for more than six generations, Mas de Boislauzon is overseen by Madame Monique Chaussy. The brother and sister team of Daniel, winemaker, and Christine, commercialization, have brought the estate quite far over the past couple of decades. The cellar and offices are located just north of Châteauneuf-du-Pape in the commune of Orange. Daniel's parents always produced quality Châteauneufs and Côtes du Rhône but were not as driven to bottle his entire production the way their children and grandkids are today. In fact, Daniel added a second cuvée to the lineup in 2000 with the *Cuvée du Quet*, which is named after the area's original name: "Quet". Not stopping there, in 2006 a Mourvèdre-dominant bottling, 'Tintot,' was introduced but is only produced in years when Mourvèdre really shines. In 2013, the winery received full Organic certification for all of their vineyards but have used organic treatments and practices for more than a decade already.

The Famille Chaussy project is the brainchild of the 3 children of the domaine that have joined operations in 2015 and 2016. This project started to give them a chance to make the wine of their own interpretation and gain some valuable wine making experience so early in their careers.

CHÂTEAUNEUF DU PAPE 'SÉLECTION' ROUGE

80% Grenache and 20% Mourvèdre

Soil: The holdings are spread across 2 parcels in neighboring Palestor and Clos Saint Pierre. In these parcels you will find varying sections of clay and sandy soils.

The grapes are 100% destemmed, and vinified in concrete for 25-30 days. The plan is to destem in general with this wine, but they are open to experimentation. The wine then ages in concrete tank for 18 months before bottling.

There are a lot of happenings at Mas de Boislauzon. The wines are as good as ever, and they now have some extra help. Since 2015 and 2016 Crissy's two sons Jaurice and Contine and Daniel's son Arlaud have joined the winery increasing the staff from 2 to 5 in just a few years!

