



Château Les Aubastons

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Your main character trait?

Generosity

Your favorite thing about wine?

The aromas

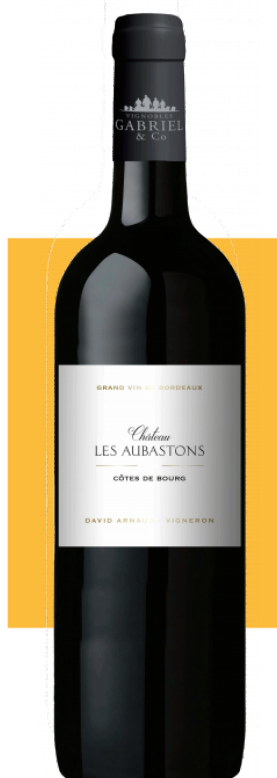
Your best tasting memory?

Champagne rosé Ruinart 1985

Your real-life heroes or heroines?

My father

Château Les Aubastons is the very first vineyard of my family that spreads over 11 hectares of vines in one piece and which shelters an ancient Gironde house that used to serve the winery's workers. I joined in 2009 the business as the fifth generation of the ARNAUD family and I am proud to carry on the reputation and traditional savoir-faire. We have always wished to favour the terroir's expression and the quality of our wines. That is why I have been running my vineyard according to organic agriculture since 2021.



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CÔTES DE BOURG

Village: Teuillac

Total winegrowing area: 11 hectares

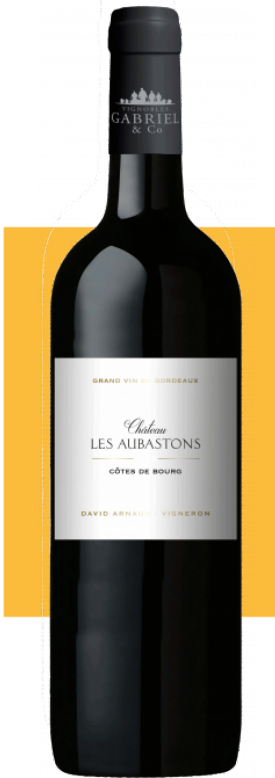
Terroir: Gravel and clay soils - Clay subsoils - 35-meter-high - 25-year-old vines

Winemaking and ageing: Mechanical harvest at mid-september. Automatic sorting. Two to three weeks of maceration, maintaining temperatures between 26 and 28 Celsius degrees. Pressing the grape marc with a pneumatic press. Ageing in cimet vats during 8 to 10 months.

Blend: 100% Merlot

Tasting notes: Garnet in colour with intense, dark purple glints. On the nose, the fruit evokes tangy berries from the garden with clarity and power. Full-bodied in the mouth, its velvety tannins bring subtle sweetness to the whole. The fruit is tinged with pleasant spicy, roasted aromas. This pleasant wine is an accomplished blend.

Food and wine pairing: White meat with sauce.



Awards:

Vintage 2020:

GOLD LONDON AWARDS 2021 (LCB2020)
GOLD FEMINALISE 2021 (LCB20)
GOLD JAPAN AWARDS 2021 (LCB2020)
GOLD TERRE DE VINS 2021 (LCB2020)
SILVER CHINA AWARDS 2021 (LCB2020)

Vintage 2019:

GOLD AWC VIENNA 2020
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GOLD BORDEAUX 2020
GOLD JAPAN AWARDS 2020 (LCB2019)
GOLD AMPHORE 2020
GOLD SINGAPOUR AWARDS 2020
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GOLD CHINA AWARDS 2020
GOLD CHINA AWARDS 2020 (LCB2019)
GOLD GILBERT ET GAILLARD 2020
GOLD SAKURA 2021 (LCB2019)
GOLD LONDON AWARDS 2020 (LCB2019)
GOLD ASIA WINE TROPHY 2020 (LCB2019)
GOLD FEMINALISE 2020 (LCB2019)
GOLD INTERNATIONAL ORGANIC AWARDS 2021 (LCBBIO19)
SILVER JAPAN AWARDS 2020
SILVER CWWSC 2021
SILVER ASIA IMPORT NEWS AWARDS 2020 (LCB2019)
SILVER KOREA WINE CHALLENGE 2020 (LCB2019)
BRONZE INTERNATIONAL WINE AWARDS 2020
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