



CHÂTEAU MACAY

CÔTES DE BOURG - VINTAGE 2014

Owner

Hervé and Frédérique Descourvières

Presentation

The name "Mackay" was originally given to the locality and then to the vineyard.

After the French Revolution the spelling was first changed to "Macaille" then eventually to "Macay" in the early 1800s by the owners of the chateau.

Chateau Macay was properly founded by the Gagnerot family in 1740.

The booming economy during this period combined with the progressive commercialisation of wine in barrels led to the establishment of a vine monoculture and contributed to the development of the chateau.

In the early 1900s, André Latouche bought Chateau Macay and added to it the vineyard he owned in the commune of Mombrier. His son André and his grandsons Eric and Bernard succeeded him.

Early in 2012, Hervé Descourvières and his wife, Frédérique, became the new owners of Chateau Macay. With the help of their three sons, they are investing heavily so that Chateau Macay, whose reputation already stretches well beyond our borders, can become a leading light from the Côtes de Bourg appellation.

Tasting note

This wine has a rich and fragrant bouquet with aromas of black fruits and hints of toast and subtle spices. The palate is smooth, sweetly harmonious, perfumed, fresh and backed up by fine tannins and a spicy finish. It is perfect with chicken casserole or paté.

Vineyard

Vineyard area : 42 ha

Soil : Gravelly-clay

Average age of the vines : 35 years

Grape varieties

Merlot

Cabernet Sauvignon

Cabernet Franc

Malbec



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