

2010 La Dame de Montrose, St Estèphe

Château Montrose, Bordeaux Wine Region, France

Product details

Vintage:	2010	Drinking:	Now 2028
Producer:	Château Montrose	Alcohol:	
Region:	Bordeaux Wine Region	Variety:	Bordeaux blend
Country:	France		

Tasting notes

Enveloping sweet aromas with plenty of hidden depths. The palate is multi-layered with pure, ripe red berry and sweet cherry flavours which are followed by more complex dark fruit characters, exotic spices and herbs. The tannins are firm but barely noticeable and a mouth-watering acidity gives wonderful balance. An exceptional second wine. Drink 2015 - 2022

About the producer

In 1778 Andre Segur owner of Lafite, Latour and Chateau Calon, sold Calon to Etienne Dumoulin. In due course his son Theodore built a Chateau on a misty corner of the estate which would become Chateau Montrose. Theodore sold Calon in 1824 but retained Montrose, so in 1855 when the vineyards were declared 2eme Cru he was delighted!

After his death, his adopted children sold the estate on to Matthieu Dolfuss who took a visionary and benevolent approach to winemaking. This included pastoral care for the workers and even a share of the profits. 1896 saw the Charmole family take control of the estate and they made very highly regarded, complex wine until their departure in 2006. Now the talents of brothers Martin and Olivier Bouygues are focused on this wonderful estate, and coupled with the winemaking expertise of Jean Delmas, formerly of Haut Brion acclaim, this renowned estate goes from strength to strength.

