



Domaine des Chirats, translated in old French to 'home of the pile of rocks', is a collaboration between Jeff Cohn and Yves Cuilleron of the Northern Rhône, France since 2013.

Black as night to the rim of the glass and back. Aromatics of blackberry/black cherry pie filling ooze from the glass, followed by fresh pencil shavings, brioche and savory notes of wild Herbes de Provence and a hint of cedar. Full bodied, but not heavy on the palate. The Rockpile minerality carries this wine from the incredibly rich and giving front palate to the exotic mid palate that showcases black fruits, black licorice and touch of charcuterie. So rich, so intense, so elegant and in the end so magical.

30% whole cluster fermentation, aged for 18 months in 30% new French oak barrels. Drink 2022 - 2040.

2018 *Domaine des Chirats*
Rockpile Vineyard
Rockpile AVA
100% Syrah
15.2% Alc

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"Coming from a collaboration between Jeff Cohn and Yves Cuilleron, the 2018 Syrah Domaine des Chirats is another dense, rich, super-intense Syrah in the lineup that has incredible complexity in its bright blueberry and cherry fruits as well as notes of violets, white pepper, sandalwood, and bouquet garni-like aromas and flavors. This full-bodied, tannic, powerhouse of a wine develops smokier, Côte Rôtie-like bacon fat as well as more and more structure as it sits in the glass. Do your best to hide bottles for 3-4 years and it should have two decades of overall longevity."

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