

AOC RASTEAU

"Les Esqueyrons"

The Domaine Grand Nicolet is the oldest winery in Rasteau. It was founded in 1926 by Joseph Nicolet. There are now four generations that the love of viticulture is transmitted. The vineyard extends over 23 hectares on different terroirs. Thanks to this complexity and richness, it is possible to make as many different cuyées.



Vintage: 2016
Grape varieties:

50% Grenache 50% Syrah

<u>Denomination</u>: AOC Rasteau <u>Alcohol degree</u>: 15.5 % vol. alc.

Volume: 75cL

<u>Harvest</u>: Hand harvesting

Vinification: 80% destemming. Maceration for 30 days. Aged for one year in barrels for the Syrah. Grenache aged for one year in concrete

vats. Blending in vats for 3 months.

Keeping: 8 à 10 years

Eye: Red clay

Nose: Notes of undergrowth and roasting.

Mouth: Complex and spicy. Aromas of

natural sweet wine.

FOOD AND WINE PAIRING:

Aged meat, game, lightly spiced dishes (tajine)