

CHATEAU PEY LA TOUR

‘This cru has become one of the most consistent and dependable Bordeaux supérieur wines.’

- Bettane et Desseauve

Year Founded: 1300's

Region: Bordeaux, France

Owner: Maison Dourthe

Chief Winemaker: Frédéric Bonnaffous

Fun fact: Several hundred trees and bushes are planted linking the two extremes of this vast estate, and promoting the already flourishing biodiversity, including wild orchids, many species of insects, birds and small mammals.

-Organic, Sustainable-

The remains of a stone castle is testament to the wealthy past of this important Lordship whose origins date back to the Middle Ages, and where vines have continued to flourish over the centuries. For connoisseurs and amateurs alike, Bordeaux often calls to mind the world of Grand Cru Classé wines, the true elite of Bordeaux, if not the world, an unrivalled icon in fine wine circles. Yet Bordeaux is also about smaller, less well-known appellations, which certainly influenced Dourthe's decision to purchase Château Pey La Tour in 1990, fully committed to revealing the full potential of this stunning terroir and craft a magnificent, characterful, complex and elegant wine. Investment in the vineyard and winery alike have elevated Château Pey La Tour to the very summit of the appellation, imparting the wine with fruit-laden, rounded character and complexity to rival the region's greatest names. The wines at Château Pey La Tour are geological jewels. They benefit from a remarkable diversity of soils that are unique to the region, and span 90 parcels. Soil studies carried out on each parcel identify the most suitable plant matter for each soil-type. Vinified and matured in separate batches, the parcels offer Château Pey La Tour the character and complexity typical of a Bordeaux fine wine.



2023 Bordeaux Rouge

77% Merlot, 11% Cabernet Sauvignon, 9% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot. Aged 12 months in vats. The rich bouquet develops notes of fresh red fruits (raspberries and fresh blackberries). Initially round on the palate, the wine reveals a juicy and aromatic palate, underpinned by delicate tannins. The well-balanced wine reveals fruity note and culminates in a savoury and fresh finish.

90 Points - Vinous