



La Dame de Montrose 2021

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A fine and silky St.-Estephe with medium body and supple, fine tannins. Fresh. Pretty blue and purple fruit with stone and some ash notes. Refined and elegant. 53% merlot, 38% cabernet sauvignon, 6% petit verdot and 3% cabernet franc.

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Jane Anson

One of the few truly successful 2nd wines in the vintage, this is inky in colour and even visually you can see it has a gorgeous texture. Clear graphite, pencil lead and blueberry notes set the tone on the palate. Cool vintage character, this is extremely elegant. There is a natural structure and power in Montrose soils, meaning the austerity of the vintage was on full display at harvest, and they chaptalised just four tanks of Merlot to add a little weight through the mid palate to this 2nd wine, but it also means there is less of a departure from the classic Montrose signature than you can find in other estates. Harvest September 26 to October 6, after less rain in September than the more southerly sections of the Médoc.

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The 2021 La Dame de Montrose offers lovely immediacy in a plump, juicy style that will offer plenty of near and medium-term appeal. Technical Director Vincent Decup chose gentler extractions, which comes through in the wine's forward, supple personality. Press wines were blended back later to add structure. In 2021 La Dame is not terribly complex, but it is absolutely delicious

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La Dame de Montrose se révèle étape par étape. Le bouquet, d'abord quelque peu sur la retenue, affiche des nuances de menthe poivrée, de réglisse et de baies noires. Le vin cumule finesse et précision en bouche. Les tannins agissent en coulisse, forment une belle assise et offrent de la dimension au vin pendant que la structure acide se charge de la fraîcheur. Un vin qui sera de toute beauté après son élevage. Les jalons sont posés !

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Neal Martin

The 2021 La Dame de Montrose, which represents 40% of the total production this year, has a perfumed bouquet with blackberry, raspberry coulis and light graphite scents. It needs a little more encouragement than previous vintages. The palate is medium-bodied with a fresh, saline entry. Modest depth, quite open and citrus-fresh, this conveys a sense of joie-de-vivre even at this prenatal stage. Good "bite" on the finish. This should drink well for a decade, possibly more.

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Assemblages réalisés. 40 % de la récolte. Très charmeur au nez avec une pointe aromatique plutôt florale, La Dame se veut charmeuse, fraîche, friande et presque gourmande. Bouche d'une grande fraîcheur, tendue et sur l'allonge, avec une texture cristalline, élégante et des tanins structurants parfaitement contenus. Aérien et droit. Belle bouche remplie et verticale.

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