

CHÂTEAU FOURCAS DUPRÉ



LISTRAC-MÉDOC

Owner: S.C.E. du Château Fourcas Dupré



Vines have grown in “Fourcas” since the early 18th century, as proved by royal cartographers Masse, Robert, Belleyme, etc. Situated at an altitude of 42 metres, the Fourcas plateau is called the “roof of the Médoc” and features the oldest geological stratum in the region. Formerly called “cru Rouillet”, Fourcas Dupré took on its present name in 1843 when Jean-Antoine Baptiste Dupré, a Bordeaux solicitor, acquired the estate.

In 1970, Guy Pagès bought the château and undertook a major renovation, transforming Fourcas Dupré in the process into one of the finest wines in its appellation. His son, Patrice Pagès, took over in 1985, perpetuating the same spirit of meticulousness, expertise, and passion. Château Fourcas Dupré’s terroir is an unusual blend of gravel, clay, and limestone. It is one of the rare estates in the Médoc with more than 80% Pyrenean gravel, which accounts for the wine’s strong personality.

Thanks to this soil and carefully-studied proportions of grape varieties, the wines of Fourcas Dupré reflect their terroir with great success. Mineral, complex, and very expressive on the palate, they also have tremendous ageing potential.

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Area under vine	46 hectares
Production	200,000 bottles
Soil	Pyrenean gravel, with a clay-limestone subsoil
Grape varieties	44% Merlot, 44% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet franc, 2% Petit Verdot
Barrel ageing	12 months - New barrels: 33%
Second wine	Bellevue de Fourcas Dupré

Manager: Patrice Pagès

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