

2009 RESERVE DE LA FAMILLE

CHATEAU GUIBEAU



THE WINE:

Sourced from the best vines on the property this 80% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Franc is made in less than 300 case quantity. Brigitte Bourlon is a third generation winemaker whose dedication and passion for her wines is legendary. Each varietal is fermented and aged separately then blended. 18 months French oak barrels. This is a stellar blend produced on only stellar vintages.

THE ESTATE:

Chateau Guibeau is a family owned Chateau in the satellite appellation of Puisseguin Saint-Emilion. Sustainably farmed vineyards and hand-crafted wines, these gems represent some of the best values in Bordeaux. Planted mostly with 30-50 year old Merlot vines, along with small parcels of Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc.

~Tasting Notes~

Color: Dark ruby red.

Aromas: Perfumed black raspberry, plum, currants and fresh minerality. Background notes of earth complement the fruit driven style.

Flavors: Black plums and currant with hints of vanilla toast are wrapped up with a plush, richly textured mouthfeel.

Food Pairing: Porterhouse grilled over open flame with wild mushroom and red wine sauce.

~Drink now through 2022~