

# Famille Isabel Ferrando

BEATUS ILLE A.O.C Côte du Rhône

Isabel Ferrando's reputation for outstanding wines has grown every vintage since her first release in 2003. She purchased Domaine Saint-Préfert from the Serre family, who was one of the first to estate-bottle in the appellation in the 1930's. In 2019, Domaine Saint Prefert earned its certification for using 100% biodynamic farming techniques. Isabel's mentality is to never stop improving: "The substantial work done in the vineyards over the past twenty years brings us ever closer to the level of quality that I seek."

Starting with the release of the 2020 vintage, Isabel Ferrando is beginning a new chapter in her story as a winemaker. Both of her properties, Domaine Saint Prefert and Isabel Ferrando will be joined under the name Famille Isabel Ferrando. One reason for the change is that her daughter, Guillemette will join Mme. Ferrando at the winery. The other, after working for 18 years with the Serres vineyard, which surrounds the Saint Prefert winery, and studying its the potential, Ferrando has decided to follow the tradition of blending and will now make a single wine from that site.



#### COUNTRY

France

#### **VARIETAL**

90% Grenache, 5% Syrah 15% Cinsault

#### **SOIL TYPE**

Red Clay, Granitic Galet Stones

### **VINEYARD**

Lalionne near Châteauneuf du Pape Commune of Sorgues

#### **HARVEST**

Manual harvested & sorted

## **VINIFICATION**

100% Destemmed Native Yeast Fermented in Concrete Aged 6 months in Concrete

## **TASTING NOTES**

Brilliant ruby-red. Fresh & energetic on the nose, displaying intense red fruit perserve and floral scents with a hint of white pepper. Juicy and supple on the palate, offering sweet raspberry and cherry flavors with a refreshing bitter blood orange nuance. Fine grained tannins build slowly through a long finish that leaves behind a soft lavender note.

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

