CHÂTEAU DURFORT-VIVENS

2^{ÈME} GRAND CRU CLASSÉ DE 1855, MARGAUX





- OWNER: GONZAGUE LURTON (FROM ONE OF THE MOST RENOWNED FAMILIES IN THE WINEMAKING IN BORDEAUX)
- 2ND CLASSIFIED GROWTH IN 1855, MARGAUX
- DOUBLE CERTIFIED : ORGANICALLY VIA AB LABEL & BIODYNAMICALLY VIA DEMETER LABEL







CHÂTEAU DURFORT-VIVENS OWNS THE LARGEST AMPHORAE CELLAR IN VOLUME OF THE WORLD.



- SIZE OF VINEYARD : 55 HECTARES
- SOIL : DEEP GRAVELS FROM THE QUATERNARY WITH A SAND / CLAY MATRIC
- GRAPE VARIETALS: 90% CABERNET SAUVIGNON,
 8% MERLOT, 2% CABERNET FRANC
- WINES: CHÂTEAU DURFORT-VIVENS, LE RELAIS DE DURFORT-VIVENS, VIVENS, LA NATURE, LE BLANC DE NOIRS.







GONZAGUE TOOK ON CHÂTEAU DURFORT-VIVENS NOT OUT OF OBLIGATION BUT BY CHOICE.

EACH OF LUCIEN LURTON'S CHILDREN HAD TO MAKE THREE REQUESTS WHEN THE TIME CAME TO DIVIDE HIS LEGACY.

AGED 26, GONZAGUE WROTE ON HIS LIST:

- FIRST CHOICE: DURFORT-VIVENS
- SECOND AND THIRD CHOICE: DURFORT-VIVENS OR NOTHING!

THAT REQUIRED AUDACITY!



THE WINES FROM DURFORT-VIVENS HAVE BEEN TESTED « O RESIDUES » EVERY YEAR SINCE THE VINTAGE 2014.



THE 1844 VINTAGE OF CHÂTEAU DURFORT-VIVENS WILL SELL FOR MORE THAN ITS PEERS AMONG THE CHATEAUX LAFITE-ROTSCHILD, LATOUR AND MARGAUX.

GONZAGUE AND HIS WIFE, CLAIRE VILLARS-LURTON, CURRENTLY OWN THE LARGEST AREA OF VINES MANAGED BIODYNAMICALLY IN THE BORDEAUX REGION.

