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Domaine Font de Vent

2016 Châteauneuf-du-Pape Etienne Gonnet Southern Rhône, France

October 2017

Score: 93-95 Points

The star of the shows is unquestionably the 2016 Châteauneuf-du-Pape Etienne Gonnet, which is largely Grenache from the famed La Crau plateau. Note destemmed and brought up in tank, this sensational looking 2016 gives up tons of blackberries, currants, dried earth and peppery garrigue-like aromas and flavors. With full-bodied richness, lots of minerality, impeccable balance and an underlying sense of elegance, it will benefit from 2-4 years of bottle age and drink nicely for a decade.

