Decanter

Domaine du Terme,

2018 Réserve Gigondas Rhône, France

September 2019

93 points

This is deep and concentrated with dark plum, damson, bay and juniper. It's powerful on the palate, dense but fresh with good balancing acidity and a long finish. Quite a tannic style, that will take a while to come around, but will give a lot of pleasure. It's more dramatic than elegant with a nice sense of textural relief alongside a little touch of menthol. Good value. 20% whole bunch, no oak, four years maturation in tank before bottling. (MW)

