



2012 Johann Michel Cornas Cuvee Jana

Johann Michel

Syrah from

Cornas, Northern Rhone, Rhone, France

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Reviewer: Jeb Dunnuck

Rating: 93–95

Bigger and richer, with notions of barbecue, smoke, bloody meat, plum and licorice, the 2012 Cornas Jana packs a serious amount of fruit into its full-bodied, voluptuously textured profile, yet never seems cumbersome or over the top. Count me a fan and this knockout Cornas excels on all accounts. Unfortunately, there's not much of it to go around. Grab a couple bottles if you can, and enjoy it over the coming 15–20 years. Another rising superstar in Cornas, Johann Michel's first vintage was in 1997. He produces two cuvees in top vintages, as well as a Saint Peray. No 2011s were presented. **Drink 2013–2033**



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