



Château Cateau Lagrange

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Your main character trait ?

I am perseverant

Your favourite activity ?

I like horse-riding

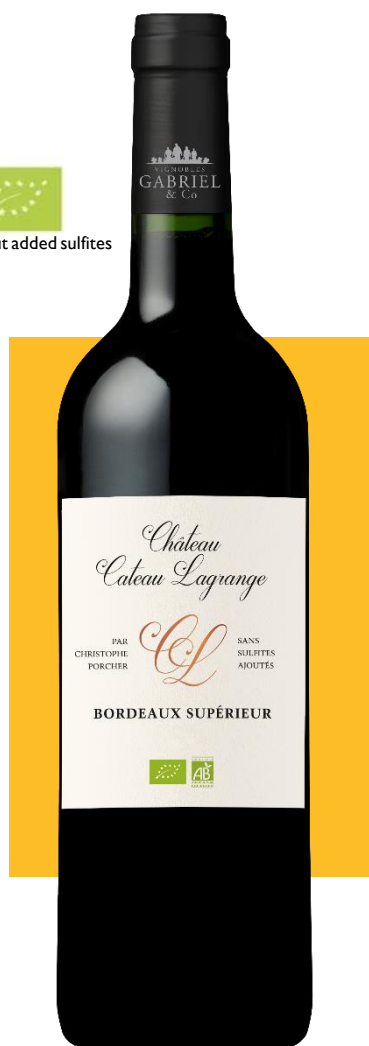
The quality you most appreciate in friends ?

Sincerity

Your favourite thing about wine ?

Complexity

My spiritual father was one of the first winegrowers to turn his vineyard into an organic operation at the end of the 1970s. He taught me at a very young age to love and respect the soil, and I have continued to learn more about it through numerous placements in various vineyards : I've worked in Beaujolais, Médoc, Languedoc and the Loire. I've also taken part in tasting competitions. I have always been driven by the idea of setting up my own business: in 2011, I became the owner of a 5.5 hectare vineyard to the south of Sainte-Foy-La- Grande that I reorganised and extended with an extra 5 hectares in 2016. New in 2017: a larger cellar to handle the harvests!



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BORDEAUX SUPÉRIEUR

Village : Les Lèves-et-Thoumeyragues

Total surface of the vineyard : 10,5 hectares

Type of soils : Silt, clay and sand with a large part of the vineyard being clay-limestone soil

Blend of grape varieties : 50 % Merlot, 30 % Cabernet Sauvignon and 20 % Cabernet Franc

Wine vinification : Vinified without sulphites. Minimum air contact during the process. Oxygen added in homeopathic form during fermentation if required. Three weeks' fermentation. Malolactic fermentation.

Tasting notes : The colour is a dazzling deep crimson. The very open nose leads to aromas of ripe grapes; the mouth is generous, with still firm tannins. This wine is all down to the skill of a winemaker who vinifies without adding any sulphites whatsoever, leading to a succulent, powerful blend that gives full expression to its terroir. A natural wine.

Wine and Food pairing : Roast beef

Awards :

Vintage 2017 :

GOLD SINGAPOUR COMPETITION 2018

GOLD AWC VIENNA 2018

SILVER INTERNATIONAL WINE AWARDS 2018

SILVER CHALLENGE MILLESIME BIO 2018

BRONZE ACADÉMIE DES VINS ET DE LA GASTRONOMIE FRANÇAISE 2018

BRONZE EXPRESSION DES VIGNERONS BIO NOUVELLE AQUITAINE 2018

BRUXELLES 2018 75,9/100

Vintage 2018 :

GOLD LYON 2019

GOLD JAPAN AWARDS 2019

SILVER TERRE DE VINS 2019

SILVER BRUXELLES 2019

SILVER CWWSC 2019