La Fleur-Petrus

PRODUCER
La Fleur-Petrus

REGION
Bordeaux

WHERE
Pomerol, Bordeaux

CLASSIFICATION
Pomerol AOC

GRAPES
Merlot, Cabernet Franc

VINTAGE AND SIZE
1981 · 12 x 75cl OWC

About La Fleur-Petrus

Château La Fleur-Pétrus lies on the plateau of Pomerol, close to Petrus and Lafleur. It was bought in 1950 by Jean-Pierre Moueix and is still owned by the Moueix family, whose firm also manages several other leading Pomerol estates.

Its vineyards are on gravel more than the clay found at Petrus, giving a wine of finesse and perfume rather than sheer weight. The estate has been enlarged with well-placed parcels, and its consistency and elegant style have made it a regular choice for Pomerol collectors.

About the wine

La Fleur-Pétrus is mostly Merlot with a little Cabernet Franc, from gravel soils on the Pomerol plateau. It is a refined, aromatic Pomerol with red and dark fruit, silky tannins and a fresh, mineral finish. Attractive within a few years, it ages well for twenty years or more in good vintages.

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