

SAINT-ESTEPHE



Château Laffitte Carcasset was founded in 1759 at « Le Carcasset » an area located in the heart of Saint-Estèphe appellation. In 1781 his owner, Jean Laffitte, lawyer and prosecutor of the King Louis XVI in Bordeaux, gave his name to the estate.

This beautiful chartreuse typical of the 18th century, is surrounded by the most famous Classified Growths in Saint-Estèphe. The 35 hectares vineyard is on the gravellous plateau of the appellation where the cabernet and the merlot best express their potential.

Château Laffitte Carcasset has been Cru bourgeois since 1932 and a family vineyard from the origins. It belongs nowadays to Pierre Rousseau and his family.

Surface area: 35 hectares

Soil et subsoil : Garonne gravel over clayey limestone

Grape varieties : 60% Cabernet Sauvignon

35 % Merlot

5 % Cabernet franc

Average age of the vineyard: 30 years

Vintage 2014

Blend: 70 % Cabernet Sauvignon

25 % Merlot

5 % Cabernet Franc

Harvest: 29 September - 19th October
Aging: 12 months in french oak barrels

30% new barrels

Vinification : Traditional with a soft extraction in stainless steel vats

Alcool: 13°

Aging Potential : 10-15 years

Press Review: 92/100 Wine Enthusiast

89/100 Wine Spectator

90/100 Decanter

15.5/20 Jancis Robinson

"Easy-drinking wine - **exactly what you are looking for from a by-the-glass Medoc :** typicity and approachability." Decanter