Le Claux 2009

Wine advocate

2009 Chateau de Saint Cosme Gigondas, "Le Claux"

Rating: (88-90+) points

From yellow clay and Jurassic limestone, the 2009 Gigondas Le Claux is aged in the same manner as the Hominis Fides. This deep ruby/purple-tinged 2009 possesses excellent concentration, but its astringency and elevated tannins may present a problem with the wine's equilibrium in 4-5 years. I will have a better view of this wine once it is in bottle.