CAVES DU PARADIS - OLIVIER ROTEN DÔLE COTEAUX DE SIERRE

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The Caves du Paradis estate is on the border between the Upper and Lower Valais, along the Raspille river, Sierre, Switzerland, in the heart of the Alps. The Finges National Park, the largest pine forest in Europe, is located in the surrounding area. Dôle Coteaux de Sierre is one of the few blends allowed in the Valais appellation; the finesse of Pinot Noir and the power of Gamay creates a perfect balance. The vines are grown on hillsides located 600-800 meters above sea level. Work in the vineyard is done manually. The soil is a mixture of sand, silt and rock. The grapes are farmed sustainably and harvested by hand. Fermentation in stainless steel tanks.

Aged for at least 6 months in concrete tanks.

Alex Roten founded Caves du Paradis in 1959 in the Paradis district of Sierre, Switzerland. Over time he managed to acquire numerous plots of land in the region. In 1989, his son Raphaël Roten, also driven by a passion for wine, took over the estate. Today, Olivier Roten follows his father and grandfather's philosophy and succeeds them as the head of the estate. His philosophy is to produce a quality grape, allowing it to transform it into an exceptional beverage, combining technique, tradition and sustainable development. They have always focused on the diversity of each terroir as well as the unique wines that they produce. Today Les Caves du Paradis has 25 acres of vines of great quality, which enables them to offer some of the finest Swiss wines. Located near the villages of Sierre, Miège and Salquenen, the vineyards benefit from nearly 300 days of sunshine per year. In fact, these ideal weather conditions have given Sierre its nickname, "City of the Sun".

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