

DOMAINE SAINT CYR BEAUJOLAIS 'TERROIRS DE BELLEVUE'



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Terroir de Bellevue comes from a single old vine Gamay parcel (7.4 acres) in Anse, Beaujolais, France, planted by Raphael's grandfather in the 1950s. It's vinified in the semi-carbonic style of the Beaujolais, but the limestone terroir gives it a unique quality. If any wine from the Pierre Dorées could argue for its own cru, this would be it. The grapes were harvested by hand. Full carbonic maceration for 2 weeks. Aged 6 months in cement tanks. Bottled unfiltered/unfiltered.

Raphael Saint-Cyr is the fourth generation vigneron at Domaine Saint-Cyr, which was created by his great-grandfather, Pierre Saint-Cyr. The estate is located in Anse, at the southern edge of Beaujolais. When Raphael took over winemaking in 2008, he let go of a large portion of Beaujolais vines around the winery & acquired vines further north in the crus of Morgon, Regnié, Chénas & Moulin-à-Vent, & immediately converted the entire 56 acres to certified organic viticulture, making Saint Cyr one of the largest organic domaines in the Beaujolais.

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Tasting Note:

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