

BASTIDE DES DEUX LUNES CÔTES DE PROVENCE ROSÉ

Grenache, Rolle and Mourvèdre. *Tout Près des Étoiles* means "very close to the stars." An old-fashioned pale pink color with bluish tints. Aromas of peach, apricot, white flowers and lemon zest. The mouth is round and delicate; ample, generous and fine. Very fruity and has a pleasant finish with citrus flavors. Elegant. A complete and balanced rosé. Wonderful paired with spicy world cuisine.

The Bastide des Deux Lunes (Fortress of the Two Moons) is a family Domaine located in Puget-Ville, 34 miles west of Saint-Tropez, in the heart of Provence. It sits at the foot of the Massif des Maures, in the middle of a Permian depression that surrounds the Maures from Toulon to St Raphael, and separates the Provence *cristalline* from the Provence *calcaire*—or the igneous and metamorphic Provence from the limestone Provence. The soil is rounded pebbles and calcareous gravel over a Permian sandstone base. It has good drainage combined with excellent retention at lower levels, encouraging deep roots.

Bertrand Dubois inherited the land from his grandparents in 2000 and moved gradually from selling the fruit to the coop to estate bottling. After 15 years as a consultant wine-maker he's proud to put his own name on his own wine. He knows that everything starts in the vineyards. Therefore he lavishes his 54 acres with enormous care. The resulting wines are complete, elegant and balanced.

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