

	Retail	Savings
\$39.00	\$60.00	35%

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2016 Xavier Vignon product-timed-pdf - XV Chateauneuf-du-Pape - DBL. 94pt from Rockstar Xavier Vignon!

Why We're Drinking It

\$39, and free shipping on 3 or more! YES! Was \$60! By now, a lot of you have tasted Xavier's wines, which we direct-import (thus the superb price). Under no circumstances should you miss the incredible '16!!

It bears repeating: 2016 is one of the greatest vintages in Chateauneuf-du-Pape EVER. Xavier's "XV" is off-the-charts delicious -- shocking, really considering our price. If you love rich, silky, profoundly succulent and ripe styles, this is 100% for you.

Xavier is one of the finest winemakers you've never heard of, a super-consultant in the region to the likes of Raymond Usseglio, La Gardine, Jerome Quiot, Beurenard, La Nerthe, Mont Redon, Marcoux and Grand Veneur...just a few heavy hitters!! His own wine is a blend from his clients, and it is stunning.

We'll say THIS - we don't have much! WAS \$60. Today --- \$117 a 3-PACK and free shipping! Madness! While it lasts!

APPELLATION

Chateauneuf-du-Pape, Rhone, France

ALCOHOL

14.50

SIZE

750ml

BLEND

Rhone Blend

Ratings

Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, 94 points

"The second year Vignon has produced this cuvée, the 2016 Chateauneuf du Pape XV is a plush but restrained blend that incorporates more Mourvèdre and less Syrah, with the Grenache and Mourvèdre co-fermented when possible. It shows a bit of toasty oak up front but balances that with ample black cherry fruit and soft, dusty tannins. Long and harmonious on the finish, it should drink well on release in 2019 and for a decade or more after that."

Jeb Dunnuck, 94 points

"A blend of equal parts Mourvèdre (from the northern part of the appellation) and Grenache (from the southern part of the appellation), the 2016 Châteauneuf-du-Pape Cuvée XV offers ripe black cherries, cured meats, lavender, and ground pepper. This beauty is fresh, elegant, and seamless on the palate, with good acidity and a great finish. It's going to be better with 3-4 years of bottle age and keep for 10-15."
