



***Our love of the land is the driving force behind everything we do,  
and our wine is the tool we use to connect people to the land through the senses.  
That is why we aim to create wines which reflect our vines, soils and climate...  
climatic conditions change continuously, and as a result no two grape harvests are the same.  
Our objective is to make excellent and, above all, authentic wines –  
wines which we get excited about.***

# CELLER DOSTERRAS

# VESPRES

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*Josep Grau, winemaker/owner*

*Winemaker-owner Josep Grau founded his diminutive but important Celler Dosterras in the early 2000s with 40–100 year-old Garnacha and Mazuelo (Carignan) vines. Located in the traditional Priorat villages of Marçà, Capçanes and Falset, the vines are planted to complex soils of llicorella, chalk and clay encouraging a subtle interplay between boldness and minerality. Together, maceration and fermentation take about 30 days.*

*Reflecting Grau's obsession with the purity of his vineyard, Vespres is a the estate's finest blend of old-vine Garnacha (80%) and Mazuelo. Although this bottling sees 8–10 months in French oak casks, Grau plays close attention during élevage to minimize the potentially-masking oak influence.*



## VESPRES

*Parker's WA on the 2009: **92 POINTS** "The 2009 Vespres is a blend of Garnacha and Carinena with a bouquet of liquid minerality and confiture of black fruits. Dense, sweet, and incipiently complex, it will reward another 2-3 years of cellaring and offer a drinking window extending through 2024."*

*Tanzer's IWC on the 2009: **91 POINTS** "Deep violet color. Exotically perfumed scents of red and dark berries, incense, lavender and smoky minerals. Bright, tightly focused cherry and dark berry flavors are lifted by a zesty mineral quality and gain spiciness with air. Leaves licorice and floral pastille notes behind on the long, fruit-driven finish. This drinks very well now, with some decanting."*

*Thank you for your time and for your interest in Connoisseur Wines.*