



CHÂTEAU
GRAND-PUY-LACOSTE
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GRAND CRU CLASSÉ EN 1855
PAUILLAC

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Château Grand-Puy-Lacoste 2018 – Pauillac

Score : 17,5

Black core with wide purple rim. Great purity of intense, ripe but fresh black fruit. The fruit flavours are ripe not overripe and scented with cassis and blueberry yet overall there is a freshness to balance the fruit and that rocky/pencil quality that was also on the Lacoste-Borie. Darker and more mineral on the palate, then really bright on the finish with refined tannins. There's a real elegance here thanks to the purity of the fruit and the finesse in the tannins. Harmony and finesse right to the end. A very good year for Grand-Puy-Lacoste. (JH)

78% Cabernet Sauvignon, 22% Merlot. 40 hl/ha. Barrel sample. - 14% - Drink 2025-2038