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# 2018 CLOS DES QUATRE VENTS FLEURIE



## WINE DATA

### Producer

Domaine des Quatre Vents

### Country

France

### Region

A.O.C. Beaujolais

### Cru

Fleurie

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### Wine Composition

100% Gamay

### Alcohol

13%

### Total Acidity

5.37 G/L

### Residual Sugar

1.2 G/L

### pH

3.46

## DESCRIPTION

The 2018 Clos des Quatre Vents is a brilliant garnet color. Elegant, with fresh aromas of black fruits and black cherry, with floral scents like iris. The nose follows through to the aromatic palate, with the fruit coming to the fore. Balanced and unctuous, with soft tannins.

## WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The south-facing vineyards of the Estate tumble down the hillside to the road leading out of Fleurie. Two winemakers undertake caring for the 29.7-acre property, where most of the vineyards surrounding the house are more than 50 years old and trellised in the traditional Gobelet style. They are planted mostly in the pink granite soil that is the hallmark of the Fleurie Cru. Semi-carbonic maceration and malolactic fermentation takes place in temperature-controlled stainless-steel vats. The wine sees no oak.

## SERVING HINTS

This wine is best served with grilled meats, lamb shanks, spicy dishes and aged cheeses.

## INTERESTING FACT

The vineyards and winery have been owned by the Darroze family since the mid-1950s, when it was bought by the father of the current owner.