

2023 VINTAGE

# FIEUZAL

Grand Cru Classé de Graves

**“Seductive” : Irresistibly attractive.**



2023 was the perfect example of a terroir vintage, like no other since my arrival at Fieuzal.

Terroir is a place, the associated climate, and the people who work there, and Fieuzal 2023 is the epitome of this.

Rainfall was a fundamental factor in the quality of this vintage. Our deep soils of fine gravel are ideally suited to water deficit, so our whites and our reds both enjoyed a remarkable supply of water.

A long harvest, extraordinary work in the vineyard due to unusual pressure on the grapes, and our unique approach to pressing at Fieuzal were the keys to the quality of our juices, aged in our acacia and oak barrels.

Crystal clear with golden reflections. The aromas are fresh and very precise, with notes of apricot and lemony fresh citrus fruit giving way after a few moments to very mineral nuances of flint and chalk.

Straightforward and pure on the palate, it expresses all the complexity and identity of the 2023 vintage, with a fleshy texture reminiscent of vineyard peaches. The finish is fresh and elegant, with a distinctive bitterness that will give this FIEUZAL remarkable staying power.

*Stephen Carrier, Winemaker*

## VINEYARD

**Owner :** Quinn Family

**Consultant:** Thomas Duclos

**Appellation :** Pessac Leognan

**Blend :** 60% Sauvignon Blanc ; 40% Sémillon

**Harvest :** August 28th 2023 - September 4th 2023

**Degree :** 12,5°

