



New wines on the Domaine Gayda horizon

Domaine Gayda enriches its premium range with its new cuvée *La Petite Villa*, issued from the AOP Minervois La Livinière terroir. As for the IGP Pays d'Oc cuvée, *En Passant* continues its steady evolution towards a more settled feature of the Gayda landscape.



LA PETITE VILLA

Some destinies, like certain paths, leave their mark on history forever. What could be truer than at Domaine Gayda, which has always sought to bring about unexpected encounters at the crossroads of diverse terroirs? *La Petite Villa* is the new addition to the existing flagship wines, *Chemin de Moscou* and *Villa mon Rêve*, one in IGP Pays d'Oc and the other in AOP Minervois La Livinière. This newcomer to the trio originates in the town of La Livinière. Here, the estate's vines are grown on soils of limestone and schist using the goblet method, and play host to a thriving biodiversity. «*La Petite Villa* embodies this singular mineral and vegetal environment. Syrah, Mourvèdre and Grenache grapes flourish on hillsides and plateaus, where parcels are dotted with fruit trees and surrounded by scrubland, all of which form part of an eco-system preserved in a micro-climate which lends itself to the fabrication of great wines,» describes David Chardron, Commercial Director. Here, the vision of the winegrower blends with the palette of the composer and the landscape painter, *La Petite Villa* both awakening the senses and embodying the adventurous spirit of La Livinière.

***La Petite Villa*, AOP Minervois La Livinière 2021:
50% Syrah, 30% Mourvèdre, 20% Grenache. RRP £27**

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EN PASSANT

Some wines, like certain writers, surprise by their longevity. With its label illustrating a traveller in a constantly changing environment, the *En Passant* cuvée cultivates the nomadic and inventive spirit embodied by Domaine Gayda. Yet even the most adventurous writers or the wildest rockers have felt the need to reign in their adventures with a cult story, a heady tune. *En Passant* expresses this spirit with graceful agility, offering a distinctive, multi-faceted aromatic profile, where each vintage produced stamps its mark. The time has now come to capture the moment without curtailing the movement. From the Roussillon, a wine produced from slopes and terroirs barely tamed by nature, *En Passant* cultivates a Syrah-Carignan duo with a striking naturalness. Each grape harvested is a mere passenger of the land and of each vintage, reflecting the profound and perpetual journey of life. *En Passant* aims more than ever to capture the quintessence of the present moment.

***En Passant* 2022, IGP Pays d'Oc: 80% Syrah,
20% Carignan. RRP £14**



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