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## LE MERLOT DE FAÏTEAU

Vin De Pays D'OC

2017

*Voluptuous and Mesmerizing*

**Robe:** sustained purple.

**Bouquet:** complex with notes of prune and violet.

**Aromas:** frank start and balanced

**Wine varietal:** merlot 100%

**Production:** 50 Hl/Ha

**Average age of vineyards:** merlot: 18 years

**Terroir:** limy clay, orientation east/west (the Terraces of La Livinière)

**Vinification and aging:** this wine is vinified using destemmed grapes with a five day maceration and a 10 day vatting with pump-overs to keep the pomace moist.

Malolactic fermentation takes place in vats after the alcoholic fermentation. Aged in vats.

Bottled in May 2018.

\* *Sud de France*

