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Carmel & Joseph

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Carmel & Joseph Cotes du Roussillon Villages 2011 14%

Typical blend - Grenache Syrah and Carignan

A fine mix of red and black berry fruits with an undercurrent of clay-like soil suggestions, moderate oak and whole berry freshness, moderate complexity.

On the palate - dry+ with gritty yet balanced medium+ tannins and acidity; plenty of red and black fruit flavors, pepper and plum. Plenty of charm and masculinity with a lengthy finish and moderate complexity. Well made.

4 Stars