

2013 M Sorrel Hermitage le Greal

A Syrah Dry Red Table wine from France, Hermitage, Northern Rhone, Rhone, France

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Easily my favorite of the 2013s, the 2012 Hermitage le Greal comes mostly from the warmer le Meal lieu-dit, but incorporates 10% from Greffieux. It has good richness and depth in its peppery dark fruits, cured meat and tapenade-styled bouquet. This is followed by a full-bodied, fleshy, full and textured Hermitage that has solid mid-palate depth and enough structure to warrant a few years in the cellar. Located in tiny cellar in downtown Tain l'Hermitage, Marc Sorrel makes classic, old-school red and whites that are almost overflowing with character.