



ERIC SOLOMON SELECTIONS
**GIGONDAS &
VACQUEYRAS**

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2013 DOMAINE DES BOSQUETS GIGONDAS LA COLINE

Explosive aromas of candied red fruits, incense and potpourri, with suave mineral and vanilla nuances in the background. Sweet, seamless and broad, offering palate-coating black raspberry and cherry compote flavors that are lifted and sharpened by juicy acidity.

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2013 DOMAINE DES BOSQUETS GIGONDAS

Sexy, high-pitched red berry, garrigue and blood orange aromas are complemented by a hint of woodsmoke. Pure, incisive and alluringly sweet, offering intense raspberry and floral pastille flavors underscored by a smoky mineral note. Seamless, spicy and focused, finishing with excellent lift and just a suggestion of fine-grained tannins.

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2012 DOMAINE DES BOSQUETS GIGONDAS

Vibrant aromas of candied red fruits and peppery spices, with smoky mineral and garrigue nuances in the background. Sweet, seamless and broad on the palate, offering juicy black raspberry and cherry compote flavors sharpened by tangy acidity. Fine-grained tannins give shape to the finish, which clings with very good spicy tenacity.

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2012 DOMAINE DES BOSQUETS GIGONDAS LE LIEU-DIT

Pungent aromas of fresh raspberry, candied lavender and peppery spices, with a hint of smokiness in the background. Silky and perfumed on the palate, offering juicy red fruit and floral pastille flavors and a hint of spicecake. Gentle tannins build slowly on the long, focused finish, which leaves red fruit and allspice notes behind.

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2012 DOMAINE LA GARRIGUE VACQUEYRAS

Vibrant, spice-accented raspberry, cherry and floral pastille aromas are complicated by hints of star anise and smoked meat. Supple and open-knit, offering juicy red fruit and spicecake flavors plus a deeper suggestion of licorice pastille. Plays power off elegance smoothly, showing no excess fat. A refreshing jolt of peppery spices adds lift and cut...

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2012 DOMAINE LA GARRIGUE LA CANTARELLE

Sexy aromas of black raspberry, cherry compote, potpourri and incense. Supple, pliant and focused on the palate, offering intense red and dark berry fruit and floral pastille flavors that deepen with air. The long, sweet, intensely spicy finish features silky tannins and a suave, lingering suggestion of candied flowers.