

PRESS BOOK



CHÂTEAU BOUTISSE

Situated at the heart of the Saint-Emilion wine region in the commune of Saint-Christophe des Bardes, Château Boutisse's 25 hectares are planted in a single block on the unique clay-and-limestone plateau on which all the greatest Saint-Emilion Grands Crus are produced.

Château Boutisse is the Xavier Milhade family's "haute couture" estate. It was bought in 1996 by Xavier Milhade then run by his son, Marc Milhade, from 2005. Major projects have been undertaken over time to achieve a level of quality worthy of the greatest Saint-Emilion wines. It's a place of experimentation, discovery, innovation and meticulous work in which every detail counts.

Marc very soon introduced an environmental approach, using growing methods, equipment and facilities that are more respectful of the vineyards (mechanical work of the soil, reduced soil inputs, integrated management methods, effluent and waste recovery and treatment).

The grapes are picked by hand then very carefully sorted, vinified and matured in lots in small stainless-steel tanks in which the volume is optimised by gentle, precise extraction. The watchwords are: High Standards and Precision !



It's also been a good place to live since 2010, when Marc and his wife Aurore moved with their 3 children into an adjoining building, determined to bring new life to the property.

The wines : Château Boutisse, Baron de Boutisse, Château des Bardes.