

# Château La Fleur Jonquet

Graves

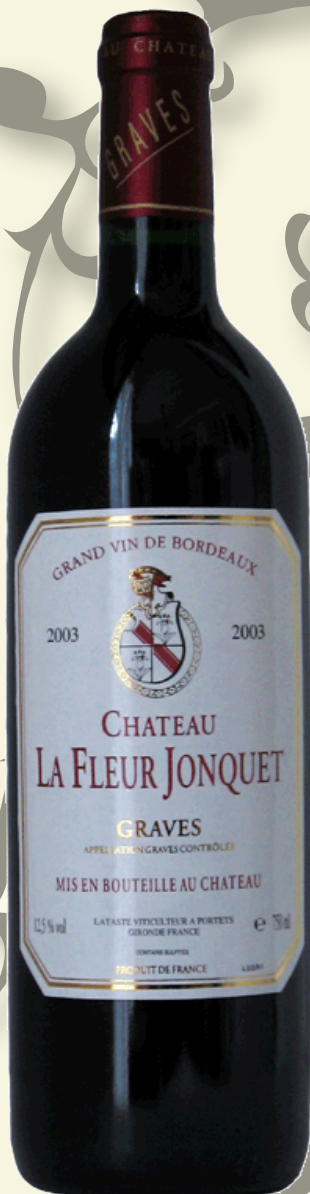
*" My parents, grand parents and great grandparents were wine growers and merchants in the Libourne area. The vine has always been an integral part of my life and our culture.*

*This is why I quite naturally crossed over the two rivers to live in the Graves, with its extraordinary potential. Being a woman has never been a problem-we are so thin on the ground, that our male colleagues treat us with great respect (tinged with some amusement)."*



Laurence Lataste

With its clean red robe, this wine has a bouquet of ripe red fruit. On the palate, it has a round, gentle attack, then supple, elegant tannins. Subtle wood and good length. Nice balance. As any "Graves goes with everything" ! the braver heated even serve it with fish.



**Vineyard area** : 5.8 hectares of Graves red, 1 hectare of Graves White

**Soil type** : Scattered plots with several soil types : gravel, chalky clay, sandy gravel, gravelly clay etc.

**Grape varieties** : 80 % Merlot

15 % Cabernet Sauvignon

5 % Cabernet Franc

**Average age of vines** : 15 to 70 years

**Vineyard management** : controlled pruning, leaf removal, partial green fruit removal

**Harvesting** : By hand or with a machine, depending of the year

**Wine making techniques** : Traditionnal Bordeaux methods

**Ageing** : The whole harvest in wood for 9 months to a year (1/4 of the casks renewed every year)

**Annual production** : 22,000 bottles

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