

Sale Name: Fine Wines & Spirits

LOT 181 - Château Margaux Grand Vin 1982 (2 bottles)



Estimate \$ 1600-2000

Description

Château Margaux Grand Vin 1982 (2 bottles)

Margaux, Red Bordeaux Blend

1er Grand Cru Classé

750 ml / France

DC 100 WA 98 VM 98 JS 97

"Still loaded up with firm tannins, this is a rich, gorgeous wine, with complex, smoky, pencil lead and graphite notes through the mid palate, before things soften to a cigar box and truffled finish. Cabernet Franc 4% rounds out blend. This stands out better than the 1983 today. Owner Corinne Menzelopoulos was at this point just two years in to her tenure at Margaux (and sharing ownership with the Agnelli family). She will not be surprised by this result - as the last time we discussed these wines, she said the 1983 was a standout for the first few decades but that, slowly but surely, the 1982 has stated to claim its spot. On this evidence, it's fully on the podium."

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Quantity: 1

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