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## Vieux Télégraphe Rouge 2023 MAGNUMS, Châteauneuf-du- Pape, Domaine du Vieux Télégraphe (3x150cl)

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**Price** £310.00  
**Code** VTEL335

After the devastating hailstorm of late August 2022 that struck the famed Plateau of La Crau, which meant there was no 2022 vintage, we are delighted to see its return with the 2023 vintage.

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### Tasting Notes:

The nose is intense and inviting with masses of ripe blackberries, red cherries and wild herbs, complemented by a touch of garrigue and delicate spices. On the palate, the wine is rich and concentrated yet refined, with black fruits, liquorice and a striking minerality that imparts both freshness and precision. The finish is long and structured, with lingering notes of salinity, promising excellent aging potential. A true reflection of the plateau's character, this vintage showcase intensity, balance, and finesse.

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Specification	
<b>Vinification</b>	The grand vin is produced from 70-year-old vines, with grapes undergoing meticulous sorting—twice in the vineyard and a third time in the winery. The wine is then aged for 22 months in French oak foudres.
<b>Size</b>	150cl
<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Rhône Valley
<b>Area</b>	Châteauneuf-du-Pape
<b>Type</b>	Red Wine
<b>Grape Mix</b>	70% Grenache Noir, 15% Mourvèdre, 15% Syrah
<b>Genres</b>	En Primeur, Fine Wine
<b>Vintage</b>	2023
<b>Body</b>	Hearty, rustic and full flavoured
<b>Producer</b>	Domaine du Vieux Télégraphe
<b>Producer Overview</b>	Vieux Télégraphe is one of the most renowned estates of the Southern Rhône.
<b>Closure Type</b>	Cork
<b>Food Matches</b>	The perfect partner to a tender beef fillet.