

# *Gigondas " Hominis Fides " 2016*

## **Decanter**

Decanter Avril 2018- Vintage report southern rhone 2016 :

Château de Saint-Cosme, Hominis Fides: 98 points . High acidity, abundant but sinewy tannins and intense dark fruit. Almost over-extracted but has freshness from minerality. Drink 2021-2035

## **Jeb Dunnuck**

2016 Château de Saint Cosme Gigondas Hominis Fides 98-100

Leading off the special cuvees and from the sandiest parcel of the estate, the 2016 Gigondas Hominis Fides (100% Grenache) has perfection written all over it! Just as fine, elegant and seamless as it gets, yet also with blockbuster depth and richness, it boasts incredible notes of black raspberries, loamy/sandy soils nuances, game, and camphor. Don't miss it!

## **Drink Rhône John Livingstone**

CHATEAU DE SAINT COSME HOMINIS FIDES 2016 ( )

(casks) dark, black-tinted robe. The bouquet is sturdy and wide, evokes roast beef, a thick layer of black berry fruit, prunes, licorice. The palate is broad, abundant, never lets you relax thanks to its insistent drumroll of smoky, tangy black fruited content. It's dark, has a ground force, is wine from the soil up. Oak comes through on the really solid finish. Decanting advised. From 2023. 2039-42 Oct 2017

## **Jancis Robinson UK**

Ch de St-Cosme, Hominis Fides 2016 Gigondas 17+

95% Grenache, 5% Syrah.

Very oaky nose giving sweet spice and something almost a bit musty, oddly. Potent tannic grip and deep fruit intensity. Impressive, though that oak is a bit intrusive both in terms of flavour and tannic structure.

Drink 2022-2036