



# 2006 CARIGNAN

COTEAUX DU LANGUEDOC - LA CLAPE CONTROLLEE

## VINEYARD DESCRIPTION:

Chateau Camplazens is located in the Languedoc region of France in the Sub-Appellation of La Clape. La Clape is an environmentally protected mountain overlooking the Mediterranean in which the only permitted activity is grape growing. Since purchasing the vineyard Peter and Susan Close have worked hard to establish Chateau Camplazens as a premium vineyard, with low yields, organic viticulture and modern vinification techniques. Most importantly they want the terrior of La Clape to speak for itself and show the true nature of Chateau Camplazens through its wines.



**BLEND:** 100% Carignan

**NUMBER OF CASES PRODUCED:** 700

## TASTING NOTES:

For over 50 years, the Carignan grape has been blended into the wines of Chateau Camplazens adding richness and complexity. Since 2001 we have pruned these old parcels for lower yields and higher quality. The grapes are now hand harvested and fermented by carbonic maceration to produce this fine example of Old Vine Carignan, a splendid tribute to the history of this unique region.