

JEAN-LUC COLOMBO

CORNAS "LA LOUVÉE" 2018

Rhône Valley, France



Lavishly floral... focuses on intensely ripe blackberry and blueberry flavors dusted with a shower of basalt and struck granite. Satiny on the palate and held upright by piercing black-currant acidity... sleek, supple Syrah... – A.I.

This red delivers an impressive rush of steeped blueberry and black cherry compote flavors, lined with subtle bay leaf, warm earth and sweet tapenade notes. There's a floral hint to add lift on the finish, along with ample grip for the cellar. -J.M.

POINTS

Wine Spectator

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...Juicy and appealingly sweet, offering pliant boysenberry, cherry and spicecake flavors with a touch of smoky bacon. The floral note reappears on the gently tannic finish, which hangs on with strong, spicy persistence. –J.R. Summer-like scents of crushed stone, dusty roads, dried herbs and wild blackberries appear on the nose... Medium to full-bodied, it's supple and ripe, smooth and easy to drink, with a long, silky finish that adds savory hints of beef and anise. – J.C.



