

JEB DUNNUCK 91-94**2018 Chateau Juvenal Ventoux La
Terre Du Petit Homme**

Stepping up in price as well as quality, the 2018 Ventoux La Terre Du Petit Homme is 50% Grenache, 40% Syrah, and 10% Mourvèdre, with the Grenache brought up in tank and the rest in barrel. It offers a deep purple color as well as terrific notes of black raspberries, ground pepper, crushed violets, and classic Southern Rhône garrigue and herbal notes. Medium to full-bodied, perfectly balanced, with ripe yet present tannins, it's a brilliant wine in the making.

This Ventoux based estate continues to produce a bevy of charming, fruit forward, impeccably made reds and whites. Some of the reds just about max out the value scale.

- Jeb Dunnuck (8/16/2019)

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