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VIGNOBLES MAYARD

**2009 Vignobles Mayard Chateauneuf du Pape
Domaine du Pere Pape**

88-90

Bright ruby. Spicy raspberry and cherry aromas are complemented by musky herbs and dried flowers. Fleeshy and impressively deep in flavor, offering sweet red fruits and suggestions of candied rose and backed by bracing minerality. Tightens up with air and finishes with good precision and a slightly tart edge.

**2009 Vignobles Mayard Chateauneuf du Pape
Clos du Calvaire**

89-91

Deep ruby. Raspberry, dried cherry, licorice and peppery spices on the nose. Dense and nicely concentrated, with nervy acidity giving spine and focus to the musky red fruit, licorice and rose flavors. On the powerful side, finishing with very good clarity and medicinal cherry and herb nuances.

**2009 Vignobles Mayard Chateauneuf du Pape
La Crau de Ma Mere**

90-92

Glass-staining ruby. An intense, exotically perfumed bouquet displays black raspberry, boysenberry, potpourri and cola scents. Lush, expansive and surprisingly energetic on the palate, offering sweet red and dark berry flavors and a firming note of bitter cherry. Finishes with very good clarity and verve, repeating the floral notes. (Polaner Selections, Mt. Kisco, NY)