1890 - Domaine Puig-Parahy Rancio

Rating : (96)

Tasting :

The blazing intensity of aromas from Puig-Parahy's 1890 Rancio arrested me in my tracks. Citrus oils, brown spices, and toasted nuts are prominent among these. But a greater shock comes on the palate, which offers a sweetness of fruit (plum paste, dried currants), sheer sap, and creaminess of texture completely contrasting with the 1900. This finishes with an almost fiery intensity and a startling contrast of textural caress and brightness.

-David Schildknecht (The Wine advocate, June 2009)