



# CHATEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION



## Château La Mission Haut-Brion 1966

Château La Mission Haut-Brion's tasting notes :

The color is very dense for its age. The nose is quite lively, young, fresh; almost vegetal which is most surprising for this millésime. However, the richness and silkiness of the wine in the mouth reveals a really great wine perfectly made. A veritable success, it is very La Mission, strong and potent in all its dimensions. The finale is less ample with a touch of acidity but still soft and unctuous.

To taste between now and 2020.

Weather conditions

Sum of temperatures : 3161 °C

Rain : 359 mm

Days where temperature above 30 °C : 16

Harvest : from 23/09/1966 to 05/10/1966

Current vintage notes

Begun like a poor year (much rain in June), 1966 revealed itself little by little to be a great year. August was hot, but especially the dry and very hot September decided the quality. This abnormal heat was the cause, on September 7th, of the terrible fire at the Calvet warehouses. The 66's are very forthright and solid wines.



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