## Fin de Folie Côtes de Catalanes Rouge



At the northern limit of the Roussillon lies the tiny AOC of Maury. It is defined by its rugged, desertlike terrain and black schist soils. Maury possesses a spectacular, eerie beauty and harsh environment that make it unsuited to agriculture – other than the old vines of Grenache and Carignan that grow here. Currently the appellation is exclusively reserved for fortified sweet wines, but since the demand for those has been in decline, David Shiverick had an opportunity to buy vines to produce dry wines under the Vin de Pays des Côtes Catalanes regional distinction. Thus was Fin de Folie born. David partnered with Richard Case, the winemaker responsible for Pertuisane, among others, who has specialized in making wine in this difficult terrain for years.

Appellation Côtes de Catalanes VdP

85% Grenache,

Varietals 12% Carignan Noir

3% Syrah

**Location** Maury

Soil Schist

Quantity Produced

250 cases

Area 2 ha

Yield 12 hl/ha

Vineyard Age 50 years

**Agricultural** 

Method

Sustainable

**Pruning** Gobelet

Harvest Hand harvested

**Vinification** Stainless steel fermentation. Aged in demi-muid, no fining, no filtration.

**Alcohol Content** 14.5%

Acidity 3.6 g/l

