



## 2018 Courbis Saint Joseph Blanc

<b>Rating</b>	<b>Release Price</b>	<b>Drink Date</b>	<b>Producer:</b> Courbis
90	NA	2019 - 2021	<b>From:</b> France , Rhône , Northern Rhône , Saint Joseph
<b>Reviewed by</b>	<b>Issue Date</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>Color:</b> White
Joe Czerwinski	31st Jan 2020	End of January 2020, The Wine Advocate	<b>Type:</b> Table

The 2018 Saint Joseph Blanc is 100% Marsanne, barrel fermented and aged in used oak. Pear and melon notes pick up slight hints of toasted grain, but the wood influence here is more about texture than aroma and flavor, adding a silky feel to this wine on the medium to full-bodied palate. With a citrusy edge, this wine finishes clean and refreshing. Tasted twice (once blind), with consistent notes.

**Sweetness:** Dry  
**Type:** Table  
**Variety:** Marsanne

## 2018 Courbis Saint Peray le Tram

<b>Rating</b>	<b>Release Price</b>	<b>Drink Date</b>	<b>Producer:</b> Courbis
87	NA	2019 - 2020	<b>From:</b> France , Rhône , Northern Rhône , Saint Peray
<b>Reviewed by</b>	<b>Issue Date</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>Color:</b> White
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A new wine from the Courbis family, the 2018 Saint Peray le Tram is from 1.5 hectares planted to 85% Marsanne and 15% Roussanne. It was vinified in tank, then aged three months in barrels prior to blending and bottling. It's floral and tropical on the nose, full-bodied but lacking textural richness on the palate and mouthwatering on the finish.

**Sweetness:** Dry  
**Type:** Table  
**Variety:** Marsanne

## 2018 Courbis Saint Joseph

<b>Rating</b>	<b>Release Price</b>	<b>Drink Date</b>	<b>Producer:</b> Courbis
(89 - 92)	NA	2020 - 2026	<b>From:</b> France , Rhône , Northern Rhône , Saint Joseph
<b>Reviewed by</b>	<b>Issue Date</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>Color:</b> Red
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Tasted from tank and as a prepared sample, the 2018 Saint Joseph is a wonderfully effusive, juicy mouthful of wine. Modest spice notes join bold cherry-berry flavors in this medium to full-bodied effort that should drink well for at least 5-6 years. Tasted twice (once blind), with consistent notes.

**Type:** Table

**Sweetness:** Dry

**Type:** Table

**Variety:** Syrah

## 2018 Courbis Saint Joseph La Cotte Sud

**Rating**

(92 - 94)

**Release Price**

NA

**Drink Date**

2021 - 2030

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**Source**

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**Producer:** Courbis

**From:** France , Rhône , Northern Rhône , Saint Joseph

**Color:** Red

**Type:** Table

**Sweetness:** Dry

**Type:** Table

**Variety:** Syrah

From granite-derived soils, the 2018 Saint Joseph La Cotte Sud boasts some dark fruit tones—plums and cassis—and a firm sense of underlying structure. Yet it's full-bodied and velvety in texture, a plush surface over sun-warmed stone that finishes long and layered. Tasted twice (once blind), with consistent notes.

## 2018 Courbis Saint Joseph Les Royes

**Rating**

(89 - 91)

**Release Price**

NA

**Drink Date**

2021 - 2038

**Reviewed by**

Joe Czerwinski

**Issue Date**

31st Jan 2020

**Source**

End of January 2020, The Wine Advocate

**Producer:** Courbis

**From:** France , Rhône , Northern Rhône , Saint Joseph

**Color:** Red

**Type:** Table

**Sweetness:** Dry

**Type:** Table

**Variety:** Syrah

Lifted on the nose, with hints of nail polish remover, I'm confident the bottled 2018 Saint Joseph Les Royes will turn out fine. Cherries and raspberries appear in a medium to full-bodied wine that shows more structure and acidity than the regular Saint Joseph, finishing long and crisp.