

A Rendezvous with CDP

Description

Dark was the bar and spicy the wine. Ofcourse Iâ??m talking about Chateauneuf-du-Pape (CDP). Dim lights in the Blue Bar at Taj Palace, New Delhi prevented me from seeing the colour of the wine, so much was upto the nose & palate to know the wine. First few sips conjured up the word â??moderateâ?? â?? but hey this was CDP â?? this should be anything but moderate. So I did what all wine aficionados do when in doubt â?? I let it decant in the glass for half hourâ??!and Bang !! The wine exploded with pronounced aromas & flavours of black fruit, pungent spices and prominent oak. All this supported by a high alcohol content sent an immediate signal to brain saying â??Happinessâ??. Thank stars I was not driving home that night ð??ð???