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IDEALWINE HOSTS CHARITY SALE IN AID OF PARIS VICTIMS

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Online auctioneer iDealwine is selling 14 double-magnums from Graves estates with all profits going to victims of the Paris attacks.



Launched yesterday (1 December) the sale will continue until 11 December with all proceeds going to the charity 'GiveForFrance – Ensemble contre le terrorisme'.

The sale arose following the terrorist attacks in Paris on 13 November. On the 15 of last month producers in Graves gathered for the 25th edition of the 'Accabeilles des Crus Classés de Graves' to celebrate the end of

the harvest ('accabar' in Occitan).

Despite the events of the previous Friday, the dinner went ahead and it was decided that the 14 double magnums usually given to lucky guests at the end of the evening would instead be auctioned off and the proceeds donated to the families of the victims.

The wines to be offered are:

Château Bouscaut 2004 (red)

Château Carbonnieux 2010 (red)

Château Couhins 2014 (white)

Château Couhins Lurton 2012 (blanc)

Domaine de Chevalier 1995 (red)

Château de Fieuzal 1989 (red)

Château Haut-Bailly 2003 (red)

Château Haut Brion 2011 (red)

Château La Mission Haut-Brion 2011 (red)

Château La Tour Martillac 2002 (red)

Château Malartic-Lagravière 2006 (red)

Château Olivier 2004 (red)

Château Pape-Clément 2012 (red)

Château Smith Haut Lafitte 2011 (red)

Bids for the Haut-Brion currently stand at €1,102 and €812 for the La Mission. Bids for the remaining lots range from €97 for the Couhins-Lurton to €342 for the Pape-Clément.

To see the sale please click here.