



Bordeaux

CABERNET SAUVIGNON &
MERLOT

Recap

History

Soil & the Two Banks

Cabernet Sauvignon

Merlot

Major Appellations

Classifications

Icons

History

First Century AD – Romans

1154 – Eleanor de Aquitaine – English

Hundred Year War

1453 – Battle of Castillon

Triangular Trade

17th Century Dutch Traders

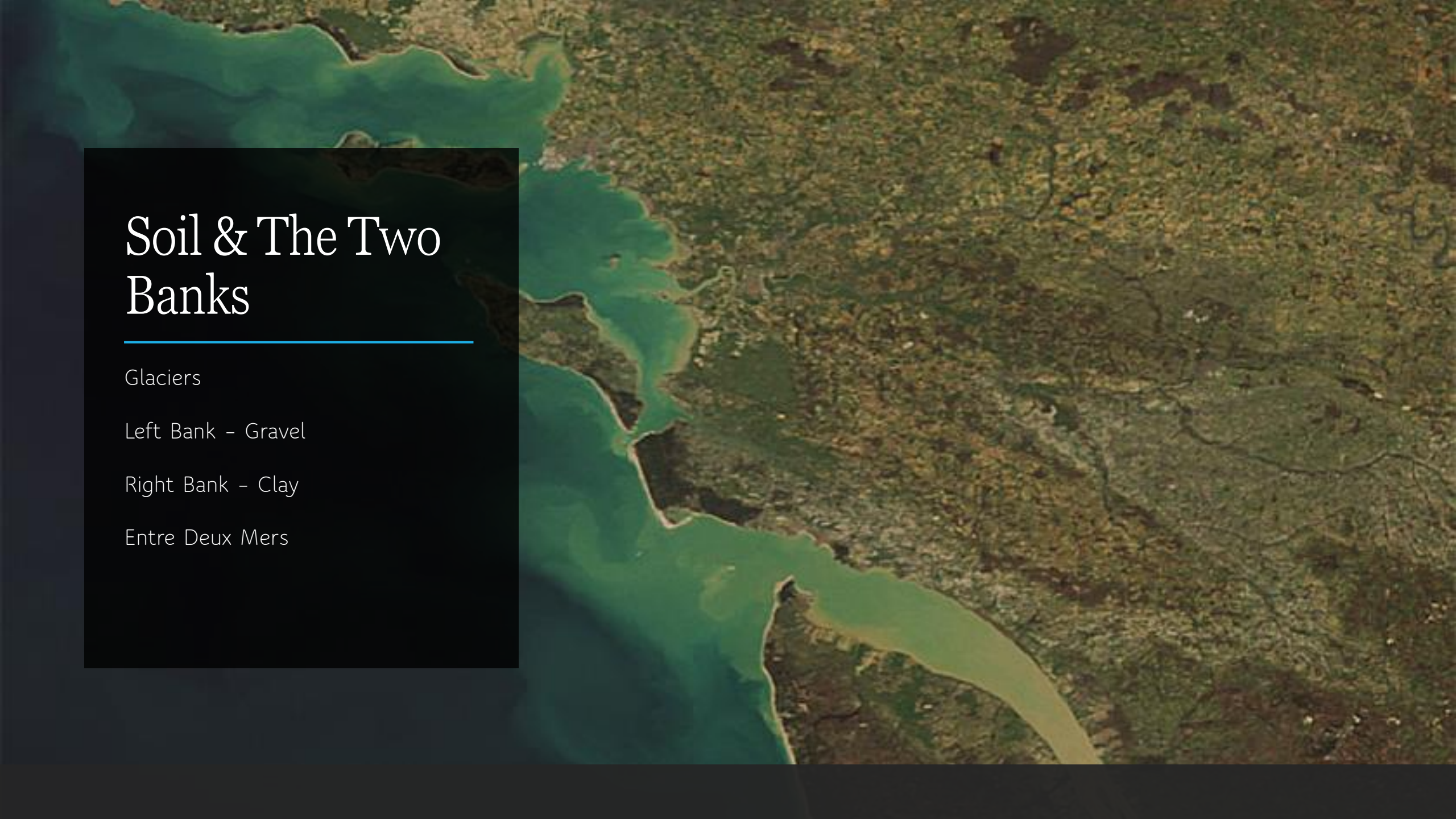
1855 Classification

World Wars

1953, 1954 – Graves & St. Emilion

2019 – New Grapes





Soil & The Two Banks

Glaciers

Left Bank – Gravel

Right Bank – Clay

Entre Deux Mers

Cabernet Sauvignon

Son of Cabernet Franc & Sauvignon Blanc

Medium

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Black Fruits, Herbal Notes

Incredible ageing potential

Loves dry well-drained soils

Dominates Left Bank blends



Merlot

Little Black Bird

Same Parent

Medium

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Plum, Herbal Notes

Pyrazines

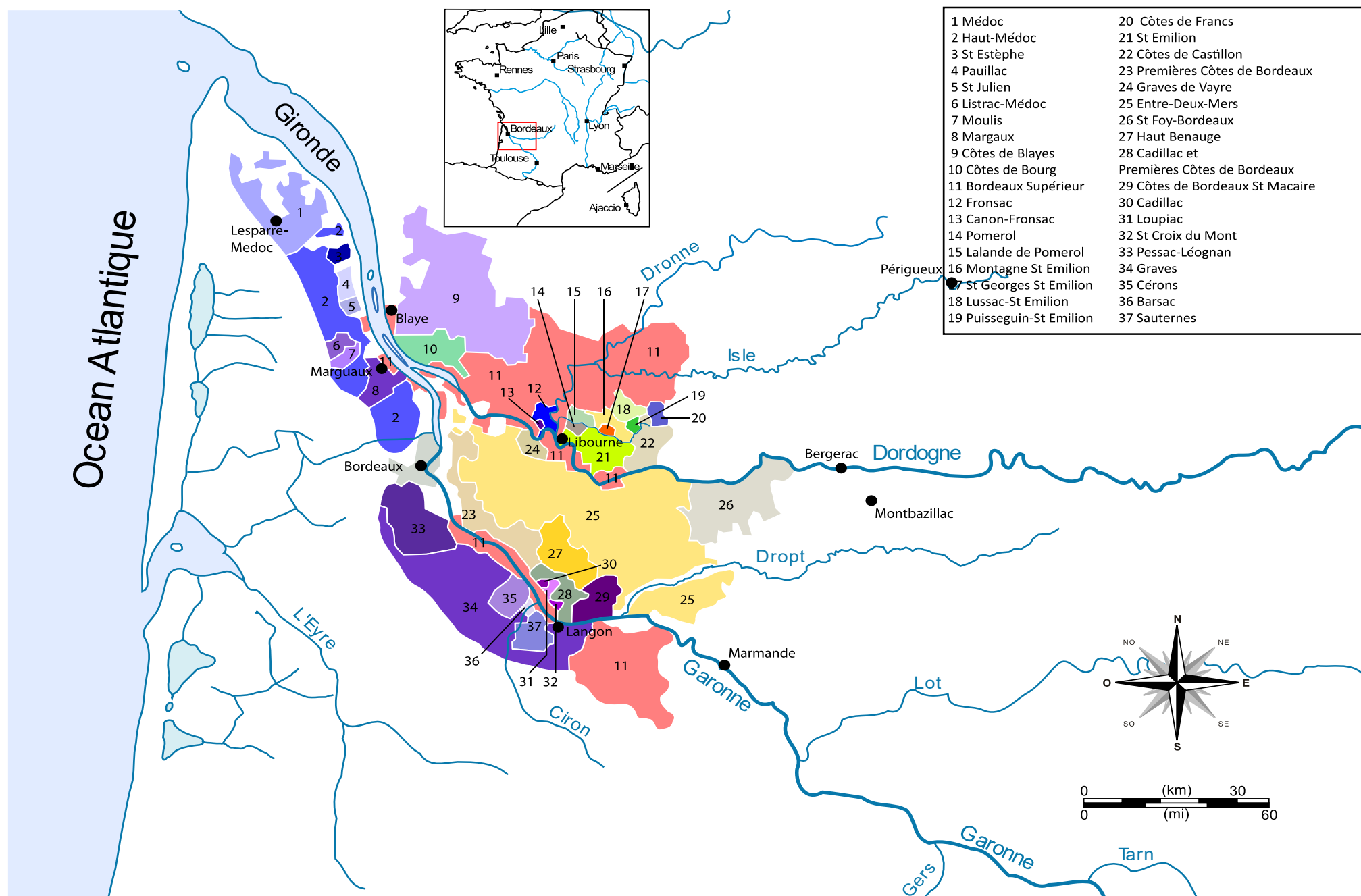
Overgrown – Lots of budget wine



LEFT BANK:

Médoc 1
Haut-Médoc 2
Pauillac 4
Margaux 8
St Estephe 3
St Julien 5
Graves 34

RIGHT BANK:
St. Emilion 21
Pomerol 14





Classifications

Bordeaux

Bordeaux Supérieur

Bordeaux Blanc

Cremant de Bordeaux

Bordeaux Rose

Cru Bourgeois

Vins rouges classes du Depart de la Gironde

Crûs	Communes	Propriétaires
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Premiers Crûs

Chateau Lafite	Pauillac	Sir Samuel Scott Baronnet
Chateau Margaux	Margaux	Aquade
Chateau Latour	Pauillac	de Beaumont
Chateau Brion	Pessac (Graves)	de Cantillon
		de Fless
		Eugene Laroche

Seconds Crûs

Mouton	Pauillac	Baron J. de Rothschild
Rouge	Margaux	Comtesse de Castelpers
Leoville	St Julien	Vignere
Vivens Dufort	Margaux	Marquis de las Cases
Gruau Laroche	St Julien	Baron de Poyfere
Lascombe	Margaux	Barton
Brancourt	Cantenac	de Luyseguet
Lichon Longueville	Pauillac	de Belhomme
Duon Beau Caillou	St Julien	Baron Sarget
Cos D'estournel	St Estephe	de Boisgerard
Mouton		Mademoiselle Plue
		Baron de Brame
		Baron de Fichen Longueville
		Duon - Ravex
		Martys
		Dumoulin

1855 Classification

Future US President Thomas Jefferson in 1787

Napoleon III for World Expo 1855

- 4 1er Grand Cru Classée
- 15 2eme
- 14 3eme
- 10 4eme
- 18 5eme

1973 Upgrade Mouton

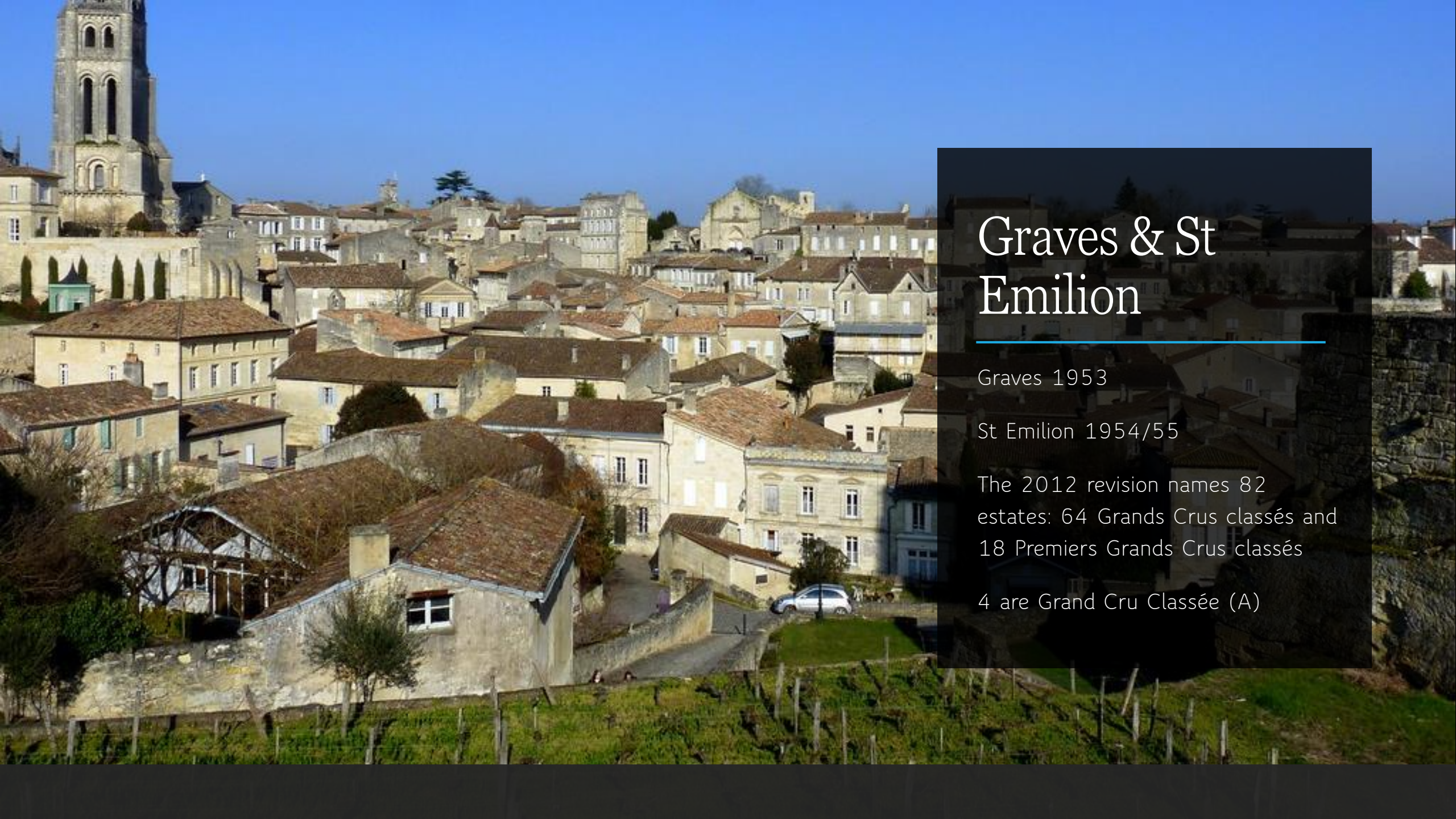
First Growth Bordeaux - Prices over 3,000 French Francs per barrel.

Second Growth Bordeaux - Prices between 2,500 and 2700 French Francs per barrel.

Third Growth Bordeaux - Prices between 2,100 and 2,400 French Francs per barrel.

Fourth Growth Bordeaux - Prices between 1,800 and 2,100 French Francs per barrel.

Fifth Growth Bordeaux - Prices between 1,400 and 1,600 French Francs per barrel.



Graves & St Emilion

Graves 1953

St Emilion 1954/55

The 2012 revision names 82
estates: 64 Grands Crus classés and
18 Premiers Grands Crus classés

4 are Grand Cru Classée (A)

Icons

First Growths

Cos d'Estournel, Pichon-Longueville, Pontet-Canet, Clerc-Millon

Sociando-Mallet

Chateau d'Yquem

Chateau Petrus

Chateau Cheval Blanc

Ausone, Pavie, Le Pin