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PULIGNY-MONTRACHET - FRANCE

## BÂTARD-MONTRACHET GRAND CRU - RÉCOLTE DU DOMAINE 2016

It is said that the lord of Puligny-Montrachet divided his estate among his children: The eldest son or "Knight" (Chevalier), his daughters or "Virgins" (Pucelles) and "Bastard" (Bâtard). Each had his hand and three climates have kept their name Chevalier-Montrachet, Puligny-Montrachet Les Pucelles and Bâtard-Montrachet.



### VINEYARD

Vineyard located right above Bienvenues-Bâtard-Montrachet in the direction of le Montrachet in the South part of the shoulder of the hill.  
Wine-Growing method : Bio-dynamic (non-certified)  
Harvest: 100 % manual

Soil : Calcareous clay  
Production area : 11.73 ha  
Altitude : 230-250 m  
Average age of vines : 50 years

### VINIFICATION

100% Chardonnay

At their arrival in our cellar, the grapes are immediately and carefully pressed with a pneumatic press .

100 % whole berries

Fining: yes

Filtration : yes

16 months (whose 4 months in stainless steel tank)  
100 % oak barrels (whose 30% of new oak)

13% vol.

### TASTING

#### Tasting note

Rich green gold in color, this wine has opulently fragrant and very expressive aromas. The palate is powerfully structured, with thrilling fruit concentration and magnificent length. Finesse, complexity and elegance.

#### Food pairings

Ideal with sophisticated food and complex textures: foie gras, caviar, lobster, firm white flesh fish such as Lotte and lean meat like veal and chicken served in a buttery and creamy sauce.

**Serving temperature :** 12-14°C

**Should be drunk between :** 2021-2026

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