



Olivier Leflaive

PULIGNY-MONTRACHET - FRANCE

SAINT-AUBIN 1ER CRU CHARMOIS 2022

In Burgundy, this word refers to the old common fields cultivated and lain fallow again, or planted of hornbeams.



VINTAGE

The 2022 vintage brought serenity back to the vineyard with a healthy harvest and correct volumes. With rainfall accumulations far from excessive, the year 2022 was marked by average temperatures higher than seasonal norms and rainfall deficits from the start of the vine's vegetative cycle. At the beginning of April, episodes of frost will recall the terrible nights of April 6 and 7 of 2021, but fortunately with an impact beyond measure. The year 2022 is the year of all records for sunshine with the equivalent of an additional month of July.

VINEYARD

Located on the side of Chassagne-Montrachet, this vineyard grows on white and very calcareous soils. The steep slope gives later maturity. It has become a very famous terroir for the last fifteen years.

Wine-Growing method : Sustainable

Harvest: 100% manual

Soil : Calcareous Clay

Production area : 15,09 ha

Altitude : 250-300 m

Average age of vines : 36 years

VINIFICATION

100% Chardonnay

100% crushed grapes

24h static settling

Alcoholic and malolactic fermentations in oak barrels

12 months (whose 4 months in stainless steel tank)

100% oak barrels (whose 15% of new oak)

13% vol.

TASTING

Tasting note

The balance between acidity and roundness on the palate gives this wine freshness while retaining a nice fullness. There are aromas of white-fleshed fruit and toasted hazelnut.

Food pairings

Ideal with sea bream, sesame and bergamot ceviche, a Natural pollack, artichoke and potato or a Brillat Savarin

Serving temperature : 10-12°C

Should be drunk between : 2024-2029

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