Olivier Leflaive

PULIGNY-MONTRACHET - FRANCE

PULIGNY-MONTRACHET LES LEVRONS
2024

The Levrons vineyard takes its name from the old French term “levron”, a diminutive of lièvre (hare), documented as far back as the 14th century. It evokes a time when hares were abundant across the lands of Puligny-Montrachet, leaving their mark on Burgundy’s place names and preserving the memory of a landscape shaped long before the vines took root.



VINTAGE

From tears of rain to tears of wine, a year as trying as it is moving! 2024 will be remembered... Marked by record rainfall and omnipresent humidity, it put winegrowers to the test. Despite vigilance and hard work in the vines, mildew took over, strongly impacting yields. Significant disparities appeared between terroirs: more draining soils were better able to resist disease pressure. Fortunately, after harvest, the quality of the wines came as a nice surprise. Freshness and radiance are there, offering a precious reward after a season of challenges.

VINEYARD

Set of three plots, belonging to our Domaine, located at the bottom of the hillside, near the Premiers Crus les Perrières and les Referts. East exposure to the east. Shallow clay-limestone soil where the parent rock is exposed in certain places of the terroir.
Wine-growing method : Sustainable
Harvest : 100% manual
Soil : Calcareous Clay
Production area : 6,56 ha
Altitude : 230 m
Average age of vines : 60 years

VINIFICATION

100% Chardonnay

100% whole grappe
24h static settling
Alcoholic and malolactic fermentations in oak barrels

18 months (whose 6 months in stainless steel tank)
100% oak barrels (whose 20% of new oak)

13% vol.

TASTING

Tasting note

A wine of great intensity, revealing subtle aromas of dried fruits and almond. The palate is precise and focused, with a clean, linear profile and remarkable elegance.

Food pairings

Ideal with chicken curry with coconut milk

Serving temperature : 11-13°C

Should be drunk between : 2026-2033

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