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Hubert Lignier

France - Borgogna Côte de Nuits - Morey St Denis



DOMAINE
HUBERT LIGNIER

Ownership/Founders Hubert and Laurent Lignier / Jacques Lignier
Start of Activity 1885
Vitiviniculture Traditional / Certified Organic
Hectares 11
Bottles produced 50.000

CLOS DE LA ROCHE GRAND CRU

100% Pinot Noir

Production area: Charmes-Chambertin
Terrain: calcare bianco, argilla e marna su roccia compatta nota come "dalle nacrée"
Harvest: manual
Vinification: grapes are destemmed and fermentation takes place in open concrete tanks that allow manual pressing. Only natural yeasts are used. Long cold maceration period before fermentation to allow for greater extraction. Fermentation is quite long and generally lasts 15 to 20 days after the 5-day cold soak
Refinement: the use of new oak for aging is carefully limited; up to 50 percent for premier and grand crus. The wines spend 20 to 24 months in barriques before being bottled, all without filtration. All work in the cellar that requires wine movement is done by gravity; wines are never pumped
Color: ruby red with garnet hues
Fragrance: hints of musky strawberry and cherry
Flavor: aromas of sweet red fruits, fine-grained texture and ripe tannins
Alcoholic Grade: 13% vol



Founded in 1885 in Morey St-Denis, in the heart of Burgundy, Domaine Hubert Lignier is one of the leading producers in the small village of Côte de Nuits, with wines that fully respect the tradition of the wine region that is now most loved by Pinot Noir enthusiasts. In 1991 Romain joined his father Hubert in the company, without wanting to change the style of the domaine in any way except to refine some small details. Unfortunately, his untimely death in 2004 left the domaine in a difficult situation for some time, with Hubert who had to take over the management supported by his oldest son Laurent who soon took control of the winery. The vineyards are located in the villages of Morey-St-Denis, Chambolle-Musigny and Gevrey-Chambertin and in addition to the grapes from these vineyards are vinified grapes coming from the property of the widow of Romain, which is why some wines are "negoçe". An impressive talent for winemaking and a style without excess have made Hubert Lignier one of Burgundy's leading figures: his wines perfectly represent the elegance of Pinot Noir.