

Chassagne Montrachet Village`Les Chaumes` Rouge Domaine Morey Coffinet 2023



Region

Some of the most prestigious white wines in Burgundy, and indeed the world, are made in Chassagne Montrachet. The Grand Cru of Criots-Bâtard-Montrachet is in Chassagne, whilst it shares the Grand Crus of Le Montrachet and Bâtard-Montrachet with its neighbour Puligny. Unlike Puligny, a sizeable proportion of Chassagne’s vineyards are planted with Pinot Noir and whilst never reaching the dizzying heights of the whites, is often quite charming and pretty. The soils around the commune have a high content of limestone. It is this limestone structure that is essential for the creation of some of the worlds most respected Chardonnay.

Producer

Morey-Coffinet was founded in the late 1970s by Michel Morey (son of the late Marc Morey) and his wife Fabienne (from the Pillot clan). Their son, Thibault, succeeded the couple, taking the helm of the estate in 2009. Thibault joined his father in a long lineage of winemakers in Chassagne-Montrachet with great gravitas in their family names such as Pillot, Morey, and Coffinet. Their cellars and house sits above the village of Chassagne Montrachet and dates back to 1820, with cellars created in the late 16th century. Traditional winemaking includes regular batonnage and filtering resulting in subtle, delicate wines. Thibault has earned the respect of his peers through his thoughtful and detailed approach. In 2014, he began to pursue biodynamic viticulture, and in 2015 gained certification.

Tasting Notes

From young Pinot Noir vines planted in 2008 on the `Les Chaumes` plot on the beginning of the hillside on clay and limestone soils. Aged in barrels for 13 months. Scented pure red fruit, an aromatic, healthy, mineral palate, focused, tensile. Good red fruit and wet stone finish. Fresh and finessed with good vibrancy and energy.

Food

Game birds including woodpigeon, quail and pheasant or simple Bourgogne boeuf and lamb dishes will work well.

Technical Information

Country	France	Dry/Sweet Style	Not applicable	
Region	Chassagne Montrachet	Alcohol Content	13.5%	
Grape(s)	Pinot Noir (100%)	Closure Style	Cork	
Type	Red	Organic/Biodynamic	Organic certified	
Style	Complex	Allergens	Milk:	No
Oaked Style	Oaked		Egg:	No
Body Style	Medium bodied	Vegetarian/Vegan	Vegetarian:	Yes
Sustainable	Yes-certified sustainable		Vegan:	Yes



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