



# Domaine Berthelemot

GRANDS VINS DE BOURGOGNE

MONTHELIE

Pierrefittes

2018



Domaine Berthelemot is a family business based in Meursault and cultivating 15 hectares in the Côte de Beaune area (Meursault, Puligny-Montrachet, Pommard, Beaune....). Our pledge is to produce wines revealing the true quality characteristics of the land and take care to protect the environment. Our wines are certified "organic" from vintage 2021.

## The vine

**Plot /climat** Pierrefittes

**History** The name Pierrefittes originates from "pierre fichée" - an upright stone - probably a neolithic dolmen which may have been close by.

**Soil** The top soil consists in light coloured stony earth, reflecting the heat, and on a mainly clay subsoil; facing south, there are slopes of 7 to 15% at altitudes of 260 to 330 metres.

**Our plot(s)** 81 a 19 ca planted in 1962, 1984 and 1986. facing south at altitudes from 260 to 330m .

## The wine

100% Pinot Noir from handpicked grapes ; raised in oak casks.

**Taste** The aromas of red fruit with a touch of candied fruit express all the warmth of this climat (or plot); the wine from this plot owes its dark colour and silky, concentrated tannins, to the grapes which mature compact but with a low yield.

**Serving temperature** 15-16°C; recent vintages may be decanted to enhance the aroma.

## The vintage

The end of the winter was very cold ; nice weather early april was the best conditions for buds to come out ; end of may, the vines are in bloom. Hot and dry conditions in july and august helped the grapes mature quickly. We started harvest on the 31st of august on Beaune Clos des Mouches white. Dark in colour, cassis or blackcurrant aromas, rich and concentrated sensation in the mouth, well balanced acidity and full tannins.