

Domaine Berthelemot

GRANDS VINS DE BOURGOGNE

SANTENAY 1^{ER} CRU La Maladière

2017



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 La Maladière (total surface area 13ha 58a)

History « Maladière » is derived from « maladreries », a hospice for sick people people in medieval times, of which there were ruins in the vicinity.

Soil Split limestone pebbles covered with marls.

Our plot(s) 45ca 10a planted between 1978 and 2004 and situated at an altitude between 240 and 280m.

The wine -

100% Pino tNoir from handpicked grapes; raised in oak casks.

Taste Rich red in colour, the wine has red fruit aromas; in the mouth it is supple but well structured with fine tannins and a persistent finish.

Serving temperature 15/16°C. It is recommended to decant recent vintages so as to enhance the aroma.

The vintage -

After a very cold winter the vegetation growth started quickly as from end of march. The 28th-29th frost had luckily not too much effect on our vines. They started to bloom beginning of june. Alternating cool and very hot spells in july and august made it difficult to decide the right tile for harvest. Finally we started on the 4th of September. Little sortation was necessary because of the quality of the grapes. After fermentation, the wines had a deep shiny shade and very fine red fruit aromas slightly jammy. In mouth the wine is dense, rich and elegant.