

À NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES DEPUIS 1825

# 2023 GIVRY "CHAMP-LALOT" ROUGE



# WINERY

Wine runs deep in the Faiveley family's blood, as they have been deeply rooted in Bourgogne, its history, and its culture for almost two centuries now. Their values have remained unchanged over the last seven generations and are based on a deep attachment to the Bourgogne region, an instinctive passion for the terroirs, and an innate respect for man and his work. Today they are one of the largest owners in Burgundy, with holdings spreading from the Côte de Nuits to the Côte Chalonnaise, featuring polished, collectible reds and whites with exceptionally high ratings.

#### **WINE**

In the heart of the Côte Chalonnaise, the commune of Givry is renowned for its red wines which are often compared to those of Mercurey. It also produces much smaller volumes of white wines which are known for their fresh and elegant style.

### **VINEYARDS**

Plot: 3.99 ha

## **VINTAGE NOTES**

Winter 2023 was mild and dry, with no rain for five weeks from late January to early March. Rain returned in March, followed by heavy downpours in April and May. To guard against frost, the team pruned in two stages, in January and late March. Frosts on March 27 and April 3 had little impact due to the dry cold, though a few early parcels in the Côte Chalonnaise were affected. Budburst was slightly delayed,

with Chardonnay around April 12 and Pinot Noir around April 20. Warm weather in early June led to rapid flowering and abundant fruit. Green harvesting in July reduced yields by about 30% in the Côte de Nuits. Minor hailstorms in mid-July caused limited damage. August's varied temperatures aided ripening. Harvest occurred during a heatwave, yielding healthy, aromatic grapes. This was the estate's second fully organic season, with certification expected in 2025.

#### WINEMAKING

The wines are pumped over twice daily in order to extract color, tannins and aromas from the skin of the grapes. After a 15 to 19 day vatting period, the alcoholic fermentation is complete. The free-run wine is run off using a gravity system whilst the marc is pressed slowly and gently in order to extract an exceptionally pure press wine.

#### **TASTING NOTES**

The delicate nose exudes springlike aromas of fresh flowers. The palate is smooth and well balanced with the same floral notes as the nose. This Givry combines fruit and freshness resulting in a delicate and elegant mouthfeel.

#### **VINEYARD**

GIVRY

CHAMP LALOT

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Region: Bourgogne

Sub-Region: Côte Chalonnaise

Appellation: Givry AOP
Climat: Champ Lalot
Soil: Limestone

Age/Exposure: Planted in 1975, 1979, 1983

Southeast exposure

**Eco-Practices**: Organic Farming

**Certifications**: Certified Organic beginning with the 2025 vintage

# WINEMAKING

Varietals: 100% Pinot Noir

Aging: 12 months in French oak barrels,

10% new oak

# **TECHNICAL DETAILS**

Alcohol: 13.5%

