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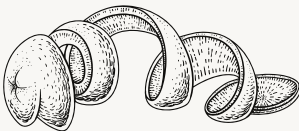
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Champagne Verrier, Brut Tradition *Étoges, Champagne, France*

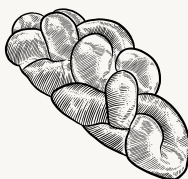
This cuvée is the heart and heritage of Champagne Verrier, crafted from vines that trace back over 70 years in the family's original vineyards. The Brut Tradition is a vibrant blend—75% Meunier, 20% Chardonnay, and 5% Pinot Noir—gathered from five villages in the sun-kissed Côteaux du Petit Morin. The vineyard's south-facing slopes and belemnite limestone soils bring a unique tension and minerality, while four years of cellar aging adds layers of depth. Expect lifted aromas of orchard fruit, citrus peel, and subtle brioche, followed by a creamy, yet refreshing palate. This bottle bridges history and finesse, with a flying disgorgement done entirely by hand—an homage to time-honored craftsmanship.



orchard fruit



citrus peel



subtle brioche

Why we LOVE this Every bottle is hand-disgorged!

Varietal 75% Meunier, 20% Chardonnay, 5% Pinot Noir

Age Aged on lees for 4 years

Pieter Ferreira, Birdsong, Extra-Brut *Western Cape, South Africa*

Nicknamed “Mr. Bubbles,” Pieter Ferreira is a leading figure in the world of Méthode Cap Classique, South Africa’s traditional method sparkling wine. His Birdsong Extra-Brut is a masterclass in minimal intervention and meticulous craftsmanship. Sourced from sustainably farmed vineyards in Robertson and Stellenbosch, this cuvée blends 71% Chardonnay and 29% Pinot Noir to highlight South Africa’s complex soils—limestone, shale, and granite—and its dynamic climate. The wine spends an impressive 39 months on the lees, deepening its texture and nuance before disgorgement and an additional rest under cork. With wild yeast fermentation and no malolactic conversion, Birdsong sings with precision



Why we LOVE this Unique, tiny production sparkling wine from the leading sparkling winemaker in South Africa!

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