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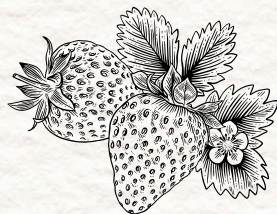
MAREUIL-SUR-Aÿ, FRANCE

Few Champagne houses understand Pinot Noir quite like Philipponnat. With deep roots in Mareuil-sur-Aÿ and a reputation built on some of Champagne's most revered vineyard sites, the house has spent generations refining its craft around this noble grape. The 2018 Blanc de Noirs is a stunning example of that expertise, crafted exclusively from Premier and Grand Cru Pinot Noir vineyards in Mareuil-sur-Aÿ, Avenay, and the Montagne de Reims.

The summer of 2018 was the driest growing season on record in Champagne, with virtually no rain from mid-June through harvest. The resulting fruit was so healthy and abundant that yields in some vineyards exceeded 12,000 kilograms per hectare, leaving a wine that is both generous and finely detailed. Floral aromas of violet and acacia blossom evolve into layers of apricot, strawberry, Morello cherry, and spice. The palate is rich and expansive, yet remains beautifully fresh, finishing with notes of anise, licorice, and forest berries. Extended aging of four to six years on the lees adds further complexity, creating a Champagne that showcases both the power and finesse that make Pinot Noir such a captivating grape.



APRICOT



STRAWBERRY



MORELLO CHERRY



SPICE

VARIETAL

100% Pinot Noir from Premier and Grand Cru vineyards

WHY WE LOVE THIS

500 Year Old Grape Growing Family

AGE

6 years on lees

SOMMELIER TIP

exquisite but powerful, open when pulling out of the fridge but leave it in drank for 10 min then enjoy with a meal. This wine while powerful has incredible tension and great minerality. This wine would be great with seafood, meats and cheeses, or any type of white meat.

CHAMPAGNE MONMARTHE, CLOS DORÉ, PREMIER CRU, EXTRA-BRUT

LUDES, FRANCE

Clos Doré is the definition of a hidden gem. Tucked away in the Premier Cru village of Ludes, this tiny walled vineyard offers a rare glimpse into the remarkable potential of Chardonnay grown in the Montagne de Reims, a region more commonly associated with Pinot Noir. Produced from a single 0.55 hectare parcel and a single vintage, the 2013 vintage was only the second Champagne harvest of the 21st century to take place in October, a rarity that contributed to the wine's remarkable freshness and elegance.

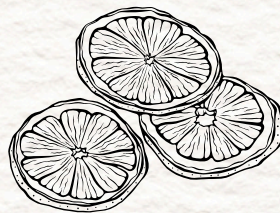
Vinified in large oak vats and aged for eight years on its lees, this wine reveals layers of white flowers, ripe peach, dried fruit, toasted nuts, and subtle mineral notes. The palate is creamy yet vibrant, finishing with a delicate salinity that lingers long after each sip. Elegant, refined, and incredibly limited, Clos Doré is a Champagne that rewards both contemplation and celebration.



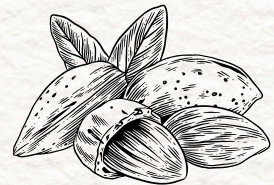
WHITE FLOWERS



RIPE PEACH



DRIED FRUIT



TOASTED NUTS

VARIETAL

100% Chardonnay
Premier Cru

WHY WE LOVE THIS

Only 498 bottles of the
2013 Clos Doré were produced

AGE

Vinified in oak vats for 8 months
and aged 8 years on lees

SOMMELIER TIP

Something this rare should be drunk alone. Have it with a zalto or larger glass, drink it 15 min outside of pouring from the fridge.