Louis Latour

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Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru "Cailleret"
2017

- **Region** Côte de Beaune
- **Village** Chassagne-Montrachet
- **Appellation** Chassagne-Montrachet Premier Cru
- **Grape variety** Chardonnay

The Vine

- **Average vine age** 30 years
- **Soil** Clay and limestone.
- **Average yield** 40 hl/ha
- **Harvest** Hand picked

Vinification & Ageing

- **Fermentation** Traditional in oak barrels with complete malolactic fermentation
- **Ageing** 8 to 10 months ageing in oak barrels, 50% new
- **Barrels** Louis Latour cooperage, French oak, medium toasted

Description

Chassagne-Montrachet is located to the south of Puligny-Montrachet in the Côte de Beaune and is one of Burgundy's greatest white wine appellations. "Cailleret" is widely believed to be one of Chassagne-Montrachet's best Premier Cru vineyards. It benefits from its rocky, stony hillside location and excellent exposure, which allows its grapes to gain perfect maturity. The name "Cailleret" comes from the word 'caille' meaning stones.

Wine tasting

- **Tasting Note** This Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru "Cailleret" 2017 develops lovely aromas of vanilla and honeysuckle. The powerful palate carries flavors of grilled notes and almond. Great length and minerality on the finish.
- **Cellaring Potential** 5-7 years
- **Food Pairing** Charcuterie - fish - shellfish - goats cheese.
- **Serving temperature** 12-14°

Press review

Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru "Cailleret" 2017 - James Suckling - USA - February 2019 -94/100

Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru "Cailleret" 2017 - Jancis Robinson - January 2019 - 15.5/20