



Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

GIVRY ROUGE

2008

- REGION Côte Chalonnaise
- VILLAGE Givry
- APPELLATION Givry
- GRAPE VARIETY Pinot Noir

The Vine

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 25 years
- SOIL Iron based clay marl
- AVERAGE YIELD 45 hl/ha
- HARVEST Hand picked

Vinification & Ageing

- FERMENTATION Traditional in stainless steel vats, temperature controlled with complete malolactic fermentation
- AGEING 10 to 12 months ageing in stainless steel vats

Description

The village of Givry gives its name to one of the 5 appellations of the Côte Chalonnaise. Already recognized in the middle-ages and also appreciated by Henry IV, it wasn't until 1946 that Givry was elevated to "AOC" status in recognition of the consistent quality of its wines. The reds represent 80% of the appellation. They are fruit-forward, well-structured with finesse. Warm, lively and giving, they are often compared to wines from Volnay.

Wine tasting

- TASTING NOTE The Givry 2008 has a light ruby colour. The aromas of violet, peppermint and currants create a tantalizing symphony. The tannins are rounded and the wine is elegant and refined.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 3-5 years
- FOOD PAIRING Poached-eggs in wine sauce - duck breast - Brillat-Savarin cheese
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 14-15°

Press review

Givry 2008 - The Guernsey Press & Star - February 2011 - "Elegant and Smooth"

