



# Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

## GIVRY ROUGE

2012

- 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 With a ruby colour, the Givry 2012 is complex on the nose: aromas of plum and morello cherry mingle deliciously with aromas of dried fruits, such as walnuts and grapes. On the palate, it is very rich and very well-balanced with lovely notes of cherry with supple and elegant tannins. A beautiful classic expression of Pinot Noir!
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 3-5 years
- FOOD PAIRING Poached-eggs in wine sauce - duck breast - Brillat-Savarin cheese
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 14-15°

