

# MEURSAULT 1ER CRU "GOUTTE D'OR" 2020

- REGION Côte de Beaune
- VILLAGE Meursault

- APPELLATION Meursault Premier Cru
- GRAPE VARIETY Chardonnay

#### The Vine

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 35 years
- SOIL Stony marl, Jurassic 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

Situated just south of Volnay and Pommard in the Côte de Beaune, Meursault is the most extensive southerly white wine commune of the Côte-d'Or. Meursault "Goutte d'Or" is the first Premier Cru found when leaving the village in the direction of Puligny-Montrachet. The parcel of vines was given this name ('drop of gold') because of the quantity of flint in the soil. These flints have both the shape and colour of 'drops of gold'. Entirely like the drops of wine which this land produces! The wine itself is as one would expect it to be with a powerful nose and rich palate. The wine prefered by Thomas Jefferson.

#### Wine tasting

- TASTING NOTE The Meursault 1er Cru "Goutte d'Or" 2020 presents a shiny pale yellow colour. Its nose is characterised by hints vanilla, toasted bread and honey. The mouthfeel is ample, generous and fresh. It offers oaky notes and stone fruit aromas. The finale is characterised by its tension.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 5-7 years
- FOOD PAIRING Vol-au-Vent rump of veal freshwater pike morels cheese.
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 12-14°

## Mr Press review

Meursault 1er Cru "Goutte d'Or" 2020 - Wine Review Online - March 2023 - 95/100

Meursault 1er Cru "Goutte d'Or" 2020 - James Suckling - 95/100 pts

Meursault 1er Cru "Goutte d'Or" 2020 - Burghound.com - 90-92/100 pts

Meursault 1er Cru "Goutte d'Or" 2020 - Burghound - June 2023 - 91/100

Meursault 1er Cru "Goutte d'Or" 2020 - The Wine Advocate - January 2023 - 93/100