



Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 1^{ER} CRU "LES REFERTS" 2016

- REGION Côte de Beaune
- VILLAGE Puligny-Montrachet
- APPELLATION Puligny-Montrachet Premier Cru
- GRAPE VARIETY Chardonnay

The Vine

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 35 years
- SOIL Limestone and scree
- 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

Home to some of the world's most extraordinary Chardonnays including the famous Montrachet, Chevalier-Montrachet and Bâtard-Montrachet, Puligny-Montrachet is the 216 hectare geographical middleman of the white wine villages, bordered by Meursault to the north and by Chassagne-Montrachet to the south. At the bottom of the hillside, « Les Referts » is situated between « Les Perrières » and « Les Charmes » and benefits from an ideal south-easterly exposure.

Wine tasting

- TASTING NOTE Our Puligny-Montrachet « Les Referts » 2016 is bright and pale yellow in colour. Superb aromas of brioche, butter and pineapple. An opulent wine with great flavours of brioche and caramelised pineapple.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 5-7 years
- FOOD PAIRING Pan-fried perch - foie gras - fish - shellfish - cheese
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 12-14°

Press review

- Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru "Les Referts" 2016 - James Suckling - USA - February 2019 - 95/100
- Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru "Les Referts" 2016 - Wine Spectator - May 2018 - 94/100
- Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru "Les Referts" 2016 - The World of Fine Wine - March 2018 - 93/100
- Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru "Les Referts" 2016 - James Suckling - February 2018 - 95/100
- Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru "Les Referts" 2016 - Jancis Robinson - January 2018 - 17/20

