



Domaine Antonin GUYON

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Volnay Premier Cru Clos des Chênes 2022, Highly distinguished, with a deep garnet color, aromas of plum and leather with a hint of pepper. Elegant and subtle on the palate, this is a rich, velvety, majestic wine built for long aging. A true benchmark. *98/100*

Chambolle-Musigny Clos du Village Monopole 2022, Defined by its unique terroir, very aromatic, both rich and elegant, complex, deeply expressive of its origin. Intense color with notes of licorice, underbrush, and ripe cherry. Combines structure and finesse, with beautiful aging potential. *96/100*

Corton Clos du Roy Grand Cru 2022, A beautifully concentrated wine, with aromas of cherry and forest floor, great aromatic finesse. On the palate, notes of stewed blackcurrant and morello cherry, with truffle nuances, silky yet rich tannins. A classic, deeply expressive wine with excellent aging potential. *95/100*

Corton-Bressandes Grand Cru 2022, Combines power and elegance, with a dense mouthfeel and well-integrated tannins. A delicate bouquet of ripe red berries, underbrush, and licorice. Deep purple color. A distinguished, complex wine with a long finish marked by notes of stewed prune. *96/100*

Corton-Bressandes Grand Cru 2014 (re-released this year), Warm and full-bodied, true to its specific terroir, with ripe fruit, earthy notes, and a touch of cinnamon spice. Hints of blackcurrant, underbrush, and licorice mingle in a rich and firm texture with velvety tannins. Irresistible. *95/100*

Meursault-Charmes Premier Cru Les Charmes Dessus 2022, Clearly marked by its terroir, with great aromatic complexity (almond, spice, musk). Both elegant and suave, persistent and charming, with finesse throughout. Beautifully harmonious mouthfeel with hints of honey and fresh walnut. *96/100*

Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru 2022, Highly expressive, with discreet mineral aromas. Rich and structured, featuring characteristic flavors of ripe yellow fruit and toasted bread on the finish. Built for long aging. *98/100*



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Volnay Premier Cru Clos des Chênes 2021, Aromas of ripe blackcurrant, strawberry, and licorice. A powerful, distinguished wine, full-bodied, deeply colored, and complex, with fine structure and delicious smoothness. Excellent aging potential. Superb! 98/100

Corton Clos du Roy Grand Cru 2021, Deep color with violet hues, powerful yet subtle aromas of spice, red fruits, and wild berries. Already charming but with great promise for the future. 95/100

Corton Clos du Roy Grand Cru 2016, Enchanting already, despite its great aging potential. Ample and dense, with velvety tannins, richness, and intense aromas of truffle, underbrush, and spice. Combines finesse and structure, ideal with spiced veal stew or pigeon pastilla. 98/100

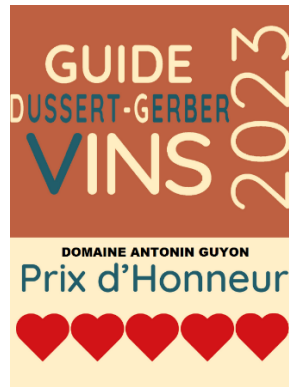
Corton-Bressandes Grand Cru 2021, Superb, with vibrant violet reflections. Combines structure and elegance, aromas of blueberry, violet, and spice. Rich, powerful yet refined, with generous tannins. A very classic, expressive wine with notes of humus and overripe fruit on the finish. 95/100

Chambolle-Musigny Clos du Village Monopole 2021, Distinguished, deep in color, full-bodied with a complex nose of ripe fruits and spices. Rich yet smooth tannins. Already drinking beautifully, ideal with pheasant terrine with foie gras or veal roast in pastry crust. 96/100

Meursault-Charmes Premier Cru Les Charmes Dessus 2021, Marked by its terroir, with aromas of fresh berries and toasted bread. Creamy texture, powerful and dense on the palate, full of nuance. Combines finesse and structure, perfect with crayfish and chanterelle gratin or almond chicken. Exceptional and long-lived. 96/100

Meursault-Charmes Premier Cru Les Charmes Dessus 2016, Tasted again this year, showing beautiful concentration and typicity. Harmonious, with characteristic aromas of toasted almond and fresh yellow fruit. Full-bodied, elegant, and creamy. 97/100

Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru 2021, Strongly expressive, with discreet mineral notes. Dense and balanced, with signature aromas of toasted bread and peach, plus exotic hints. Harmonious and elegant on the palate, magical with vol-au-vent or porcini cream with langoustines. 98/100



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We’ve been under the spell of this sublime **Volnay Premier Cru Clos des Chênes** for several decades now! The 2020 vintage is a textbook expression of the appellation: full of character, flavorful and intense. A powerful and refined wine, with ripe and complex aromas of red fruit, forest floor, and licorice. Ample and silky on the palate. Built to age, no doubt.

The **Corton Clos du Roy Grand Cru 2020** is equally refined, intensely aromatic and beautifully integrated on the palate, clearly marked by its terroir. The bouquet reveals forest undergrowth, wild strawberry, and morello cherry. A perfect match for roasted lamb shoulder.

The **Corton-Bressandes Grand Cru 2020** is another perfectly balanced wine, with aromas of dark berries and spice. Superb structure and texture.

Always striking with its depth and elegance, the **Chambolle-Musigny Clos du Village Monopole 2020** stands proudly at the top of its appellation. Highly perfumed, with notes of ripe fruit and spice, it’s a great wine with harmonious tannins and excellent aging potential. While already charming in its youth, it deserves to be cellared a few more years to fully shine.

Then there’s the exceptional **Meursault-Charmes Premier Cru Les Charmes Dessus 2020** captivating, rich and smooth, with a powerful yet subtle bouquet (warm bread crust, reinette apple, white flowers, dried fruit). A wine with strong typicity and beautiful evolution.

Of course, we must also mention the **Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru 2020**, majestic and distinguished, with an intense nose of flowers, fruit, and fern. Rich and generous on the palate, yet dense and elegant, with subtle notes of citrus, narcissus, and toasted bread on the finish.



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Still more stunning wines follow, starting with the **Volnay Premier Cru Clos des Chênes 2019**, once again bewitching. Deep garnet in color, refined, with notes of candied cherry and forest floor. This wine offers both powerful and silky tannins.

The **Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru 2019** is truly grand: wonderfully fine, with nuances of honeysuckle, musk, and white peach. Melt-in-the-mouth texture, long and smooth, ideal with veal in cream sauce or lobster. Highly distinguished.

The **Corton Clos du Roy Grand Cru 2019** is equally captivating, flavorful and well-structured, with a deep garnet hue and an intense yet subtle bouquet (redcurrant, cherry, earth). A wine full of character, with silky, rich tannins and excellent aging potential.

Corton-Bressandes Grand Cru 2019 is full-bodied and terroir-driven, with a nose dominated by sweet spices and stone fruits. It melts on the palate, with notes of morello cherry, violet, and pepper, a rich and seductive wine.

The **Chambolle-Musigny Les Cras 2019** reveals a deep robe and complex aromas of spice, leather, and blueberry. A wine of great complexity, with generous, balanced tannins and a velvety, integrated finish.

Lastly, the **Gevrey-Chambertin La Justice 2019** displays classic character. The tannins are very silky yet firm, and the nose is beautifully complex, wild strawberry and leather. Rich in color, it elegantly combines finesse and structure on the palate, with a long, expressive finish.

Dominique et Hombeline Guyon