

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

# BEAUJOLAIS-VILLAGES 2012

- REGION Beaujolais
- VILLAGE Beaujolais

- APPELLATION Beaujolais-Villages
- GRAPE VARIETY Gamay

#### The Vine

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 30 years
- SOIL Pink schist and granite.
- AVERAGE YIELD 45 hl/ha
- · HARVEST Hand picked

# Vinification & Ageing

- FERMENTATION Traditional in open vats
- AGEING 10 to 12 months ageing in stainless steel vats

### Description

Our Beaujolais-Villages comes from 35 selected towns originating from granite soils which are ideally compatible with the indigenous Gamay grape. The difference between the various levels of Beaujolais - Beaujolais Nouveau, Beaujolais, Beaujolais Superieur, Beaujolais-Villages, and Cru Beaujolais - is the maximum yield, geographic area, and the ability of the wine to improve with age. Our Beaujolais-Villages is nurtured and bottled in Maison Latour's cellars at 'Clos Chameroy' on the outskirts of Beaune.

## Wine tasting

- TASTING NOTE This Beaujolais-Villages 2012 has a sparkling garnet colour. The nose is intense and floral. Subtle notes of barley, followed by fresh almond aromas appear. Of a round structure, notes of Tagada Strawberry bring a touch of candiness.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 2-3 years
- FOOD PAIRING Grilled meat charcuterie mature cheeses.
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 13-15°

