



# Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

## VOSNE-ROMANÉE 1ER CRU "LES BEAUX MONTS" 2012

- REGION Côte de Nuits
- VILLAGE Vosne-Romanée
- APPELLATION Vosne-Romanée Premier Cru
- GRAPE VARIETY Pinot Noir

### *The Vine*

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 30 years
- SOIL Iron-based clay.
- AVERAGE YIELD 38 hl/ha
- HARVEST Hand picked

### *Vinification & Ageing*

- FERMENTATION Traditional in open vats
- AGEING 10 to 12 months ageing in oak barrels, 40% new
- BARRELS Louis Latour cooperage, French oak, medium toasted

### *Description*

Vosne-Romanée, famous the world over for its Grand Crus, also produces some Premier Crus capable of competing with the best. The iron-based soil just north of Nuits-Saint-Georges is absolutely ideal for the growing of Pinot Noir. The grapes reach their maximum maturity and it is by means of a traditional vinification that the lively perfumes and great fruity characters are released. This wine needs bottle ageing to fully realise its potential. The descriptive adjective in "Les Beaumonts" is "beau", which emphasises the quality of the wine that this particular vineyard on the hill produces.

### *Wine tasting*

- TASTING NOTE Charming intense garnet in colour, the Vosne-Romanée 1er Cru « Les Beaumonts » 2012 will undoubtedly charm you. The nose offers up an attractive bouquet of cassis, liquorice and oaky aromas with vanilla hints. The mouth is ample and powerful with firm tannins.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 7-10 years
- FOOD PAIRING Beef "Mironton" - rabbit with chanterelles - venison with cranberries - mature cheeses.
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 15-17°

### *Press review*

Vosne-Romanée 1er Cru "Les Beaux Monts" 2012 - Wine Enthusiast - December 2015 - 92/100

Vosne-Romanée 1er Cru "Les Beaux Monts" 2012 - Burgundy Report - June 2014 - "Tasty!"

Vosne-Romanée 1er Cru "Les Beaux Monts" 2012 - Tim Atkin - February 2014 - 91/100 (UK)

Vosne-Romanée 1er Cru "Les Beaux Monts" 2012 - Jancis Robinson - January 2014 - 16.5/20

