

# Decanter

## Vintage preview Burgundy 2016

Devastating frost made its mark on this vintage, slashing yields and resulting in uneven quality. But the best examples are still worth buying, says William Kelley, especially premiers and grands crus reds, and value wines from Côte Chalonnaise.

### Kelley's pick of 2016

*Among a selection (101 recommendations) of top-scoring and great-value wines from more than 1000 barrel samples tasted in October and November 2017.*



### Corton Charlemagne Grand Cru 2016

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Good cut and precision in this tricky vintage: confit citrus, lime, white flowers and brioche. Glossy, textural attack underpinned by a taut, vibrant core of acidity and stony minerality? This shows promise. Drink 2018 - 2026

### Château Corton Grancey Grand Cru 2016

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The Pinnacle of Latour's Corton range this year. Black fruit, forest floor, orange zest and cedary new oak. Chalky tannins are underpinned by fresh, tense acidity, the fruit revealing excellent concentration and depth. Drink 2025- 2045.

