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Corton-Charlemagne Grand cru 2020

From the heartland of the domaine, where Louis Latour owns a stonking 10,5 ha (26 acres) of Corton-Charlemagne. The new oak is present on the nose, but it is quality oak (worth nothing that Louis Latour has its own cooperage). Intense, rich and layered. The concentration of rich fruit is underscored with savory freshness. The finish is powerful, sustained, and smoothly stony. 2026-35.

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Meursault 1er cru "Château de Blagny" 2020

High-toned aromas, with lime and white flowers. It has a glassy feel, ripe, but straight and pure. Crisp and neatly edged, it carries to an energetic and savory finish. This is a favorite of mine in the Louis Latour Portfolio. not a domaine wine, but managed as such. It shows particularly well in these warmer summers. Although it is quite a light bodied and trim wine, it ages very well. 2024-30+.

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Meursault 1er Cru "Poruzots" 2020

Good typicité in the Poruzots, which has a ripe pear and spicy aroma, and attacks the palate with a broad punch. It is rich and juicy, with fuller-bodied grunt and graphite-dark minerality. Good depth and presence. 2024-30+.

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Beaune 1er Cru "Aux Cras" 2020

Ripe citrus aromas and perfumed apricot on the palate. Louis Latour starts its harvest on this warm climat. I like the fresh mineral cut, which come up from under the fruit with a hint of salt to the finish. An inviting, well-balanced example of white Beaune. 2024-28.

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Aloxe-Corton 1er Cru "Les Chaillots" 2020

Dark, juicy, and robust. This is a typical aloxe, with no lack of grip, but the muscular frame is enveloped with concentrated dark fruit, and those tannins provide freshness. Sturdy. Another good domaine with wine showing its terroir. 2025-30.

Beaune 1er Cru "Perrières" 2020

This domaine wine has a perfumed, lifted, red fruit aroma. Rather elegant and pure. It has a light body and gentle tannins. There is the freshness and zestiness of ripe red-currant fruit, and a bright, crunchy note to finish. Most attractive and forward. 2024-30.

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Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru "Charmes" 2020

Distilled raspberry sweetness on the nose is reflected in the intensity of summer fruit on the palate. It's a real sweetie, charming and smooth, with a soft cloak of tannins. Nicely balanced and there is plenty of freshness and spice to follow through on the finish. 2026-32.