HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Volnay Village 2018, Domaine Joseph Voillot

Price	£48.00
Code	VOLN335

Jean Pierre Charlot, son-in-law of the founder Joseph Voillot. has now passed on the running of the family domaine to his nephew, Etienne Chaix. This exceptional domaine's future is now secure. The domaine consists of 9ha of vineyards, including some prized sites in several 1er Crus. The grapes are partially destemmed and the wines matured in oak barrels (15-20% new) for 14-16 months. Without doubt one of the finest domaines in Volnay, these wines are never heavy or over extracted. They offer the fragrance, charm and beauty so typical of Volnay. "I am very satisfied with this vintage!" said Etienne Chaix with a mischievous grin. A true master of the understatement!



Tasting Notes:

Produced from 8 plots totaling just under 2ha, the 'vieilles vignes' average over 40 years old. With only one new barrel used this means slightly less than 5% new oak in the cuvee. This is such a suave wine, with black fruit aromas and a palate of fresh black cherries providing a charming elegance. The tannins are succulent and support the wine beautifully whilst a hint of spice and hedgerow on the finish provides added dimension.

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Specification	
ABV	13%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink now through to 2030
Country	France
Region	Burgundy
Area	Côte de Beaune
Sub Area	Volnay
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	100% Pinot Noir
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2018
Body	Elegant, refined and supple
Producer	Domaine Joseph Voillot
Producer Overview	Jean-Pierre Charlot took over from his father in-law, Joseph Voillot, as the winemaker at Domaine Joseph Voillot in 1995.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Great with pan fried duck breast with a cherries and port.