Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour"
2018

- **Region** Côte de Nuits
- **Village** Gevrey-Chambertin
- **Appellation** Chambertin Grand Cru
- **Grape variety** Pinot Noir



The Vine

- **Average vine age** 35 years
- **Soil** Bajocian limestone base, chalky topsoil with gravel and clay.
- **Average yield** 30 hl/ha
- **Harvest** Hand picked

Vinification & Ageing

- **Fermentation** Traditional in open vats
- **Ageing** 10 to 12 months ageing in oak barrels, 100% new
- **Barrels** Louis Latour cooperage, french oak, medium toasted

Description

At the heart of a constellation of Grand Crus from Côte de Nuits is Chambertin. The terroir of Chambertin is legendary for its exceptional richness due to a geological phenomenon called an alluvial fan. This deeply complex terroir is characterized by brown calcareous soils. It breeds a powerful and complex wine with a long ageing potential, combining the robustness of Pinot Noir and the taste of the "terroir".

At the end of the 19th century the Latour family acquired 0.81 hectares in the Chambertin Grand Cru appellation, forming a beautiful parcel extending from the top to the bottom of the hillside, closer to that of Latricières rather than Clos de Bèze. We took the name of Chambertin "Cuvée Héritiers Latour", as the parcel has been passed down through the generations of Latour family descendants.

Wine tasting

- **Tasting Note** Our 2018 Chambertin Grand Cru displays a dark ruby hue with aromas of blackcurrant and raspberry. We encounter a mouthfeel that is ample and silky, delivering excellent freshness and length.
- **Cellaring Potential** 10-15 years
- **Food Pairing** Venison stew - roasted deer with pepper and mashed celery - Soumaintrain cheese.
- **Serving temperature** 16-17°

Press review

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018, 97/100, James Suckling

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018 - 97/100 - Wine Enthusiast, December 2020

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018- 95 pts - Wine Spectator May 2021

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Heritiers Latour" 2018 - Tim Atkin - January 2020 - 92/100

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018 - 97/100 - Wine Enthusiast

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018 - Burghound.com, Allen Meadows - Spring 2020 - 93/100

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018 - World of Fine Wine - March 2020 -

94/100

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018 - William Kelley, Wine Advocate (USA) - February 2020 - 94/100

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018 - Bill Nanson - January 2020 - "A high level!"

Chambertin Grand Cru "Cuvée Héritiers Latour" 2018 - Jancis Robinson - January 2020 - 17/20