

# **2023 ALOXE-CORTON**

## **VILLAGE WINE - 100% PINOT NOIR**

Aloxe is a charming village located north of Beaune and lying below the imposing hill of Corton, famous for its Grands Crus. "Aloxe" is the ancient name of the village whereas "Corton" is the name of the hill.

## Supply:

Grapes and musts purchased from supply partners according to rigorous specifications.

#### Vinification:

- Total destemming.
- In accordance with the terroir and the profile of the vintage, we do 2 to 3 weeks of fermentation and maceration in small open vats, marked by punching of the cap and pumping-over.
- The yeasts are indigenous (natural). Pressing in a vertical press.

### Ageing:

- Ageing: in oak barrels including 20% of new barrels.
- The ageing lasts between 12 to 16 months.

## 2023 Vintage:

2023 stands out as one of the hotest years in Burgundy, surpassing even 2022. This vintage is marked by its generosity, both in quantity and quality, with consistent yields across all regions in Burgundy. The wines offer flavours of ripe red and black berries. The climate's generosity is evident in these Pinots Noirs. They show excellent ripeness with smooth, long, and complex palates. 2023 is a vintage of high quality.

### Tasting note by Véronique Boss-Drouhin:

A well-structured wine, without any hardness. Beautiful intense red colour. Powerful nose, with aromas of candied fruit, evolving with age towards spicy and musky aromas. A solid framework is felt on the palate. Long aftertaste with flavours reminiscent of the same candied fruit aromas.

#### Service

- Cellaring: Optimal consumption: 5 to 12 years
- Ageing potential: 15 years
- Tasting temperature: 60-62°F















