



*'Fresh, elegant and delicate style'*

Nicolas Rossignol (above)

*'It is very energetic, intense and distinguished.'*

*'Power and elegance combined'* Michel Gros

*'For me it is a vintage to keep, not to drink very quickly because the structure is very deep and the wine is long and has very good acidity. All of these elements are for keeping'*

Eric Rousseau, Domaine Armand Rousseau

*'It is a good vintage for the terroir. Less fruit and more typical expression of the terroir'*

Yves Confuron, Domaine Confuron-Cotétiédot

*'A classic vintage with purity, good definition of terroir and good precision'*

Frédéric Lafarge, Domaine Michel Lafarge

## Vosne-Romanée



5 STARS

**Domaine de la Romanée-Conti, La Romanée-Conti Grand Cru 20**

Armit

A discreet wine of fluidity, energy and a fine, filigree texture. This combines depth, power and intensity with delicacy and persistence. A wonderfully long, graceful finish. **Drink:** 2018-2030

**Michel Gros, Clos Des Réas 1er Cru 19**

A&B Vintners, Davis Bell McCraith, Lay & Wheeler, Markinch, RS Wines, Tanners, WoodWinters

Gorgeous fruit, supple tannins and a velvet texture. Lovely depth and intensity of fruit, woven with such freshness. Harmonious and complex. **Drink:** 2017-2030

**Domaine de Montille,**

**Cuvée Christiane, Aux Malconsorts 1er Cru 18.5**

Armit, Fine & Rare, H2Vin, Justerini & Brooks, Lay & Wheeler Straight, well defined and firmly compact. This has plenty of substance and a very impressive, sustained finish. **Drink:** 2017-2022

4 STARS

**Anne Gros 17**

Domaine Direct, Fine & Rare, Goedhuis, Lay & Wheeler, Laytons, Lea & Sandeman

Perfumed, aromatic and pure palate where energy and elegance are entwined. **Drink:** 2014-2020



3 STARS

**Georges Mugneret/Mugneret-Gibourg 16**

Bancroft, Haynes Hanson & Clark, Howard Ripley, Lay & Wheeler, Lea & Sandeman Frolics onto the palate. Gorgeous summer fruit.

Alluring, supple and spiced. **Drink:** 2014-2019

## Nuits-St-Georges

5 STARS

**Robert Chevillon, Les St-Georges 1er Cru 19**

Bancroft, Fine & Rare, Genesis, H2Vin, Justerini & Brooks Svelte, rippling texture with notable depth of pure, dark fruit. It has immediate harmony. Sleek and lithe, and vital on the finish. **Drink:** 2018-2030



4 STARS

**Domaine de l'Arlot, Clos de l'Arlot 1er Cru 18**

Corney & Barrow, Goedhuis, Lay & Wheeler, Swig

Lovely clarity of fruit with an underscoring of minerality. Silky textured, flowing, refined and finely knit. Has finesse and style. **Drink:** 2017-2025

**Domaine Faiveley, Aux Chaignots 1er Cru 18**

Fine & Rare, Haynes Hanson & Clark, Lea & Sandeman, Maisons Marques & Domaines, WoodWinters

Dark cherry fruit and a touch of warm chocolate. Good

density and matter and a firm but smooth texture. Fresh finish. **Drink:** 2017-2025

## Corton

5 STARS

**David Croix, Les Grèves Grand Cru 19**

Berry Bros & Rudd

Compact with velvety muscularity and power. Graphite notes with dark chocolate richness of fruit. A full-bodied palate with extract and vigour. **Drink:** 2017-2028

**De La Vougeraie, Le Clos du Roi Grand Cru 18.5**

Berry Bros & Rudd, WoodWinters

Plenty of power linked with freshness and vigour. Supple rich tannins; dense, layered and ripe with dark cherry and chocolate notes. **Drink:** 2018-2025

## Savigny-lès-Beaune



4 STARS

**Chandon de Briailles, Les Lavières 1er Cru 17**

Bancroft, Goedhuis, Haynes Hanson & Clarke, Lay & Wheeler, Lea & Sandeman, The Sampler Perfumed, silky and graceful, with sweet raspberry fruit,

freshness and minerality. **Drink:** 2016-2022

## Chorey-lès-Beaune

3 STARS

**Tollot-Beaut 15**

Bancroft, Domaine Direct, Gerrard Seel, Goedhuis, Justerini & Brooks, OW Loeb, Tanners

Spicy, red cherry and frangipane. Very fresh with zesty energy and crunchy tannins. **Drink:** 2014-2017

## Beaune

5 STARS

**Domaine Chanson, Clos des Mouches 1er Cru 18.5**

Fine & Rare, Mentzendorff, Millesima, Swig, Tanners

Exuberant wine with ripe, red fruit; bright with juicy bursting berries and smooth tannins. Some power here reined in with elegance. **Drink:** 2017-2025



4 STARS

**Domaine Bouchard Père et Fils, Teurons 1er Cru 18**

Fells, Fine & Rare

Fullish and rounded palate but close knit and punchy at the core. Ripe cherry fruit shows lovely tension,

freshness and coiled energy. **Drink:** 2017-2025

## Pommard

5 STARS

**Courcel, Grand Clos des Epenots 1er Cru 18.5**

Genesis, H2Vin, Lea & Sandeman, OW Loeb

Black velvet texture and deeply seductive. Supple and flowing and beautifully balanced. It has depth, substance and a effortless harmony. **Drink:** 2020-2030 ➤