

2013 Puligny Montrachet 1er Cru Les Folatières

Domaine Leflaive, Burgundy & Chablis Wine Region, France

Product details

Vintage: 2013

Drinking: Now

Producer: Domaine Leflaive

Alcohol:

Region: Burgundy & Chablis

Variety:

Wine Region

Country: France

Tasting notes

As is typical, there is a greater degree of flamboyance here, with a flash of yellow flowers and the scents of pêche de vigne. On the palate, a contrast arrives: more of a link to the earth than to the air, with a flinty, smoky note sitting alongside the fruit. The finish also shows some restraint and while this is undoubtedly one of the more friendly wines in the range, there is also the seriousness of something that is pushing for membership of the very top ranks. Drink from 2017.

About the producer

The vision of Anne-Claude Leflaive in the 1990s took this Puligny Montrachet Domaine to the heights of white wine production, not only in Burgundy but in the rest of the world. Today, her nephew Brice de La Morandière - who has had a successful career running multinational companies - continues her philosophy of organic, biodynamic viticulture, bringing Chardonnay grapes to their best possible expression in Grand Cru and Premier Cru climates, where the terroir has been restored to health by natural practices.

^{*}These wines are not available for non-UK based customers.