

2017 Nuits St Georges 1er Cru Les Pruliers

Domaine Taupenot Merme, Burgundy & Chablis Wine Region, France

Product details

Vintage:	2017	Drinking:
Producer:	Domaine Taupenot Merme	Alcohol:
Region:	Burgundy & Chablis Wine Region	Variety:
Country:	France	

Tasting notes

The 2017 Nuits Saint-Georges Les Pruliers 1er Cru needs a little coaxing from the glass but responds with dark cherry fruit, Seville orange marmalade and allspice aromas. It is certainly very well defined. The palate is medium-bodied with gentle grip on the entry, quite foursquare but focused, and the red berry fruit is tinged with orange peel and black pepper. The finish is very persistent and quite voluminous. This is a classy Les Pruliers that should age with style. **92-94 Points, Neal Martin** There's a light vanilla sweetness here though there's less than 30% new oak, and peppery cherry fruit. Really peppery and quite tight on the palate, not so much flesh but real persistence. A little smoky and savoury. Darker on the palate too, with all that peppery spice. Very 'masculine', dry in texture, rather sober. With air the fruit opens but it's tight and quite closed at the moment. Marked freshness on the finish, tangy even though it is all tied up and tense. **17+/20 Points, Julia Harding, JancisRobinson.com**

About the producer

Romain Taupenot is one of the rising stars in Burgundy and is the 7th generation to continue the family tradition. Romain is a perfectionist who is always striving to achieve the very best and he has transformed his family Domaine over the last few years producing increasingly impressive wines. He uses organic methods and focuses on expressing pure fruit flavours which display each terroir. Oak is used judiciously to avoid dominating the wines. Romain's wines are refined and pure.

