



## Domaine Georges Lignier & Fils



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### Clos Saint-Denis Grand Cru 2023

How could you resist this fabulously seductive wine from one of the least well-appreciated grand cru sites in Burgundy. The enveloping Amarena-cherry aroma pulls you into this masterpiece that marries richness and finesse. The freshness at the super-long finish is remarkable and makes you want more and more of this elixir! From a 1.49-hectare parcel, which is the largest in this site. Matured in small oak barrels of which 40% were new. Drinkable now, but best from 2027.

### Clos de la Roche Grand Cru 2023



Fragrant and very graceful, in spite of the firm and deep core, this is a wonderfully enticing expression of one of the most famous sites in Burgundy. Fantastic energy and intense, chalky minerality on the very focused, medium-bodied palate. Very long, sleek and stony finish. Matured in small oak barrels of which 40% were new. Drinkable now, but best from 2027.

### Morey-Saint-Denis 1er Cru Clos des Ormes 2023



Deep and concentrated, with a stunning interplay of red-berry and cherry flavors and complex tannins, this great red Burgundy is cool and tightly wound, with a fascinating herbal thread running through it. Only just beginning to open up, it has terrific aging potential. Very long, sleek finish. This producer owns half the site, and most of these vines are on stony limestone soil. Matured in small oak barrels of which just 20% were new. Drink or hold.

### Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Les Combottes 2023



At once deep and fragrant, this has the concentration and complexity of a grand cru on the extremely focused, medium-bodied palate. The sour-cherry and redcurrant fruit suddenly bursts out of the wine at the long, vibrant finish. From a half-hectare parcel. Matured in small oak barrels of which 40% were new. Drinkable now, but best from 2026.

### Bonnes Mares Grand Cru 2023



For a grand cru renowned for generosity and roundness, this has terrific freshness and energy. Great precision on the compact but only medium-bodied palate. This has been made for the long term, but the floral and wild-berry aromas are already enchanting. Long, very polished finish. Drink or hold.



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### Morey-Saint-Denis 1er Cru 2023



Very straight and structured, this is a seriously focused and mineral expression of the appellation. Still quite tightly wound and in need of further maturation in the bottle to give its substantial best. Very crisp, stony finish with very impressive length. Just 12.5% alcohol. Drinkable now, but best from 2027.

### Morey-Saint-Denis 1er Cru Les Sorbès 2023



A charming and elegant expression of this appellation, with restrained tannins on the sleek, barely medium-bodied palate. Long, delicate and refreshing finish. Drink or hold.



### Morey-Saint-Denis Blanc 2023

Youthful and elegant, with precise chamomile and lemon-balm flavors, this barely medium-bodied Burgundian chardonnay is cool and precisely delineated. Nice mid-palate juiciness, then a long, very clean finish with delightful chalky minerality. Just 12.5% alcohol. Drink or hold.



### Morey-Saint-Denis 2023

This beautiful village wine has sour-cherry and black-raspberry aromas that leap out at you. Excellent concentration and a very solid structure of fine-grained tannins deftly underline the abundant fruit. Long, very harmonious finish. From six plots that total 0.8 hectares. Matured in small oak barrels, none of which were new. Drink or hold.



### Chambolle-Musigny 2023

Fragrant and elegant, just as the world expects the wines of this appellation to be. Barely medium-bodied, but with a core of elegant tannins and a subtle minerality that drive the long, bright finish. From vineyards below the Bonnes Mares grand cru. Matured in small oak barrels, none of which were new. Drink or hold.



### Gevrey-Chambertin 2023

A cool and elegantly dry expression of this famous village, with a wealth of dried-herb and wet-earth character on the surprisingly sleek and well-structured, medium-bodied palate. Long, crisp finish. Matured in small oak barrels, none of which were new. Drink or hold.



### Bourgogne-Passetoutgrains 2023

This really tastes like Burgundy on the barely medium-bodied palate, thanks to the delicate earthy character alongside the frank cherry aroma. The crisp acidity makes the finish bright and zesty. From vineyards in Morey-Saint-Denis. A half-and-half cuvee of pinot noir and gamay that was matured on the lees in stainless steel tanks. Drink or hold.