

## DOMAINE ANNE GROS

### Vosne-Romanée 'Les Barreaux'

*Subtle, harmonious, supple—Burgundy from Domaine Anne Gros is intimately tied with the elegant, poised character of wines from Vosne-Romanée. While each cru faithfully reflects its terroir, it is terroir as translated through Anne's expert touch, offering richer aromatics, rounder curves, silkier tannins. The combination is irresistible; so much so that Anne's limited production is snapped up by global collectors faster and faster each vintage. To be sure, Anne Gros is one of the top winemakers in Burgundy today, which explains why her wines inspire such a cult-like following. There have been Gros family members in Vosne since the 1830s; Anne took the reins of her father's winery (Domaine François Gros) in the late 1980s.*

**WINERY:** Domaine Anne Gros

**WINEMAKER:** Anne Gros

**ESTABLISHED:** 1988

**REGION:** FRANCE • Burgundy • Côte de Nuits • Vosne-Romanée

**APPELLATION:** Vosne-Romanée AOC

**BLEND:** 100% Pinot Noir

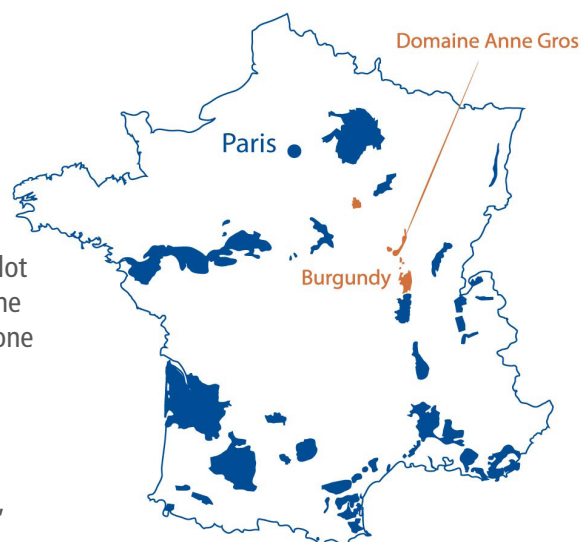
**VINEYARDS:** Estate vines are located in 'Les Barreaux,' a villages-level plot up on the slope, at the forest line, 840 feet in altitude. At the mouth of the "combe" of Concoeur, the vineyard faces northeast. Thin soils mix limestone and iron-rich clay, with the "mother rock" not far from the surface.

**AGE OF VINES:** 40+ years

**WINEMAKING:** Hand-harvested. Destemmed; fermented on indigenous yeasts in stainless steel tanks. Aged in French oak barrels: one-third new, one-third one-year and one-third two-year barrels.

**TASTING IMPRESSIONS:** Aromas of red currant, cranberries, red/black plum. Tannins are fine-grained and present; flavors of wild strawberries, raspberries, red plum. Tightly wound but lots of material.

**PAIRING SUGGESTIONS:** Aged local French cheese; charcuterie; pork sausages with herbs



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