

## DOMAINE VIGOT

# Bourgogne 'Les Maladières'

*This hard-working, generations-deep Burgundian family—particularly among the rarified air of Vosne-Romanée—are hands-in-the-soil growers, first and foremost. Caring for their few acres according to organic principles, Fabrice and Christine Vigot craft Burgundy wines that are earthy and soulful and utterly transparent to their underlying terroir. For decades this family tended the vineyards of the Mugneret-Gibourg estate (under a crop-sharing contract). Their humble demeanor and low profile belie their outsized talent; it is past time that their wines received the attention they've for so long deserved.*

**WINERY:** Domaine Vigot

**WINEMAKER:** Fabrice Vigot

**ESTABLISHED:** 1990

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

**APPELLATION:** Bourgogne AOC

**BLEND:** 100% Pinot Noir

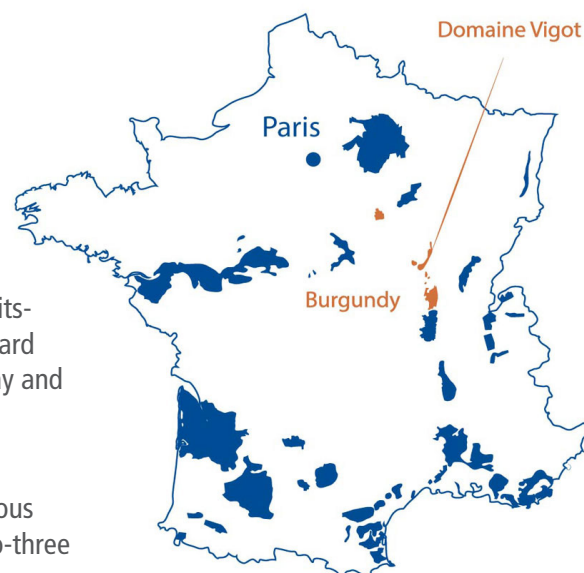
**VINEYARDS:** A selection from 'Les Maladières,' located in greater Nuits-Saint-Georges, east of the main road, not far from villages-level vineyard Nuits 'Les Maladières.' Facing east; soils are rocky, with limestone-clay and marl.

**AGE OF VINES:** 20-40 years

**WINEMAKING:** Hand-harvested. Destemmed; fermented on indigenous yeasts in steel tank. Aged for 13 months in older 228L tonneaux (two-three year old barrels). Unfined and unfiltered.

**TASTING IMPRESSIONS:** Aromas of red and black cherries and plum, light pepper, some earth. Medium-bodied, suave tannins; spiced finish.

**PAIRING SUGGESTIONS:** Pâté en croûte; air-dried pork sausage; moderately aged French cow's cheese



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