

Santenay

APPELLATION SANTENAY PREMIER CRU CONTRÔLÉE
PREMIER CRU - LA COMME

ARNAUD BAILLOT

Arnaud Baillot - Vin Cuvée - Laure et Arnaud

DOMAINE ARNAUD BAILLOT

Santenay Rouge 1er Cru 'La Comme'

Arnaud Baillot wasn't born into a winemaking family, as is the case with so many generations-deep Burgundy domaines. He is a winemaker by choice, bringing a new energy and passion to this tradition-steeped region. Originally from Auxerre, Arnaud and his wife Laure (the granddaughter of the founders of Domaine Hudelot-Noëllat) started their adventure as small-batch negociants. Knowing that the character-driven wines they wanted to craft would only be possible when they farmed the land themselves, this focused pair put every penny they had into finding parcels they could own and tend organically. Today the estate is 25 acres of prime land mostly in the Côte de Beaune; their wines are precise, aromatic expressions of Burgundian Chardonnay and Pinot Noir.

WINERY: Domaine Arnaud Baillot

WINEMAKER: Arnaud Baillot

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REGION: FRANCE • Burgundy • Côte de Beaune • Beaune

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BLEND: 100% Pinot Noir

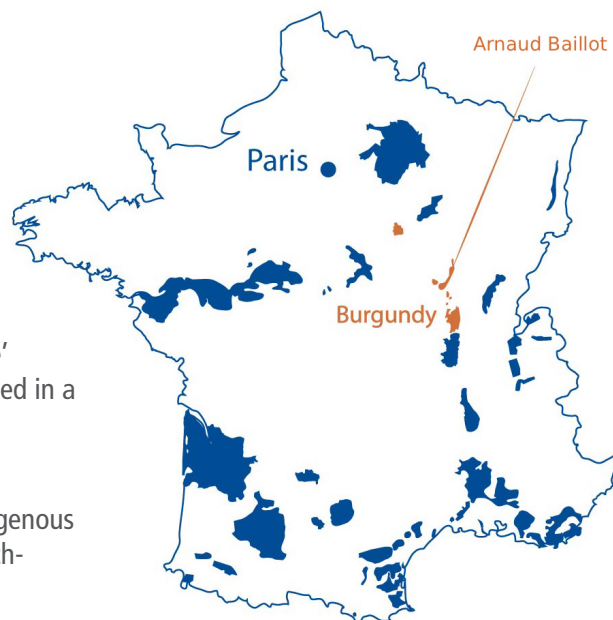
VINEYARDS: A larger vineyard in the village of Santenay, 'La Comme' borders premier cru vineyards in Chassagne-Montrachet and is situated in a small valley, mostly facing east.

AGE OF VINES: 20-40 years

WINEMAKING: Hand-harvested. 30% full cluster; fermented on indigenous yeasts in tank with no added sulfites; only light pump-overs (no punch-downs). Aged in barrel (15% new) for 15 months. Unfiltered.

TASTING IMPRESSIONS: Aromas of cherry, blackberry and violet. Medium-bodied, juicy and supple, with good grip

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: Burgundian jambon persillé (parsley and ham); Cuban pork sandwich; wild mushroom terrine



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