

Santenay

APPELLATION SANTENAY PREMIER CRU CONTRÔLÉE

PREMIER CRU - LA COMME

ARNAUD BAILLOT

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DOMAINE ARNAUD BAILLOT

Santenay Blanc 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

ESTABLISHED: 2015

REGION: FRANCE • Burgundy • Côte de Beaune • Beaune

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BLEND: 100% Chardonnay

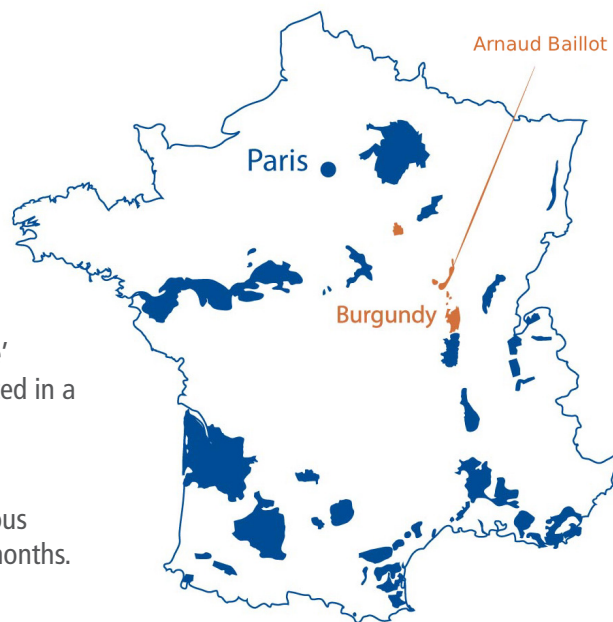
VINEYARDS: A larger vineyard in the village of Santenay, 'La Comme' borders premier cru vineyards in Chassagne-Montrachet and is situated in a small valley, mostly facing east.

AGE OF VINES: 20-40 years

WINEMAKING: Hand-harvested. Pressed and fermented on indigenous yeasts in older French oak barrels. Aged in barrel (15% new) for 12 months. Unfiltered.

TASTING IMPRESSIONS: Aromas of linden and camomile, light honey, fresh hazelnuts, citrus zest. Medium-bodied and supple, silky and round; finish is long and juicy, with yellow plum and spice

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: Fish in beurre blanc; roast pork with herbs; Beaufort cheese



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