



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

Monthelie Rouge 2020, Domaine Prunier-Bonheur

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| Price | £38.99 |
| Code | MONT475 |

A generously fruity Pinot Noir from this lesser known village, adjacent to Volnay, in the Cote de Beaune, from one of the region's unassuming, but highly talented, artisan winemakers. What a lovely bottle of Burgundy!

Tasting Notes:

Wonderful aromatics, the palate displays crunchy red cherry fruits and there is a lovely balancing freshness on the finish.





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| Specification | |
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| Vinification | A wonderfully structured, brooding yet perfumed Monthelie. Sourced from 3 parcels of 40-50yr old Pinot vines, planted on fractured limestone soils, facing SE. Pascal calls this wine 'Une Petit Volnay' and rightly so, as all 3 parcels border the Volnay 1er cru vineyard of Sous La Vielle. After de-stemming and sorting twice, the grapes are fermented in tank before ageing in 20% new and 80% 1 and 2 year old barrels for 12 months. His yields are low - around 40HL/Ha for this wine |
| ABV | 13.5% |
| Size | 75cl |
| Drinking Window | Drink now through to 2028 |
| Country | France |
| Region | Burgundy |
| Area | Côte de Beaune |
| Sub Area | Monthelie |
| Type | Red Wine |
| Grapes | Pinot Noir |
| Vintage | 2020 |
| Body | Elegant, refined and subtle |
| Producer | Domaine Pascal Prunier-Bonheur |
| Producer Overview | The estate spreads over 8 ha divided into plots of various sizes in the communes of Saint Romain, Auxey Duresses, Meursault, Monthelie, Pommard and Beaune: a varied range of terroirs which makes the work of expressing the wines fascinating. |
| Closure Type | Cork |