

NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES PREMIER CRU « LES TERRES BLANCHES » 2011

Managed by Bertrand & Christiane Devillard and their children Amaury & Aurore since 1996, the Domaine des Perdrix, located in Côte de Nuits spreads over 12 hectares in the best terroirs within the villages of Nuits-Saint-Georges and Vosne-Romanée. Nearly 5 hectares of the estate produce Nuits Saint Georges Premier Cru, among which the excellent "Aux Perdrix" is a quasi-monopole (99%). The quality of the vineyards, their rigorous management and vinification have established the Domaine des Perdrix as a renowned Domaine, one of the best amongst the "Grands Vins de Bourgogne".

<u>Grape Variety</u> 100 % Chardonnay <u>Origine</u> Bourgogne – France

<u>Area</u> Côte de Nuits

<u>Appellation</u> Nuits-Saint-Georges

Premier Cru « Les Terres Blanches »

<u>Type of Appellation</u> Premier Cru – 0.33 hectares (0.82 acres)

<u>Vintage</u> 2011



> TERROIR

Limestony and clayey with clay predominance. Plot of 0.33 ha (0.82 acres) located right up to the famous Premier Cru « Aux Perdrix ». We are in the South of the village of Nuits-Saint-Georges and these vines are planted on smooth south facing slopes.

► WINE MAKING AND AGING

Grapes are harvested by hand then pressed in a pneumatic press. Alcoholic fermentation and maturing are 100 % made in oak barrels with 50 % of new barrels. Malolactic fermentation is 100% realised. Wine is bottled in Traditional Burgundy bottles. The cork is marked with the estate's name and the vintage. Robert Vernizeau is the winemaker at Domaine des Perdrix for 16 years.

> TASTING NOTES

Beautiful clear and pale colour with greens tints. The nose is delicate and fresh, developing lime aromas. On the palate, the wine is fresh and express some spicy notes, mainly dominated by the white pepper. Nice potential to be cellared.

> FOOD AND WINE PAIRINGS

The Nuits-Saint-Georges Premier Cru « Les Terres Blanches » 2011 will perfectly match with one seafood platter, scallops, and fresh goat cheeses as Pélardon or Rigotte de Condrieu.

> SERVICE AND CELLARING

Temperature to taste: 13.14° C. Potential to be cellared: 10 years.