Domaine Denis Mortet

Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Lavaux Saint-Jacques



ABOUT THE ESTATE

- Domaine Denis Mortet, in the family since 1956, is now run by Arnaud Mortet, who took over in 2006 after his father Denis' death.
- While continuing his father's legacy, Arnaud has also made changes of his own, including more traditional techniques both in the vineyard and in the cellar.
- Vinification is done almost exclusively by hand, including the use of horses to plow all the 1er and Grand Crus.
- After hand harvest, the grapes see a strict selection in the cellar and are made in a very non-interventionist fashion. They are bottled unfined and unfiltered.
- Arnaud's wines are regularly praised for their outstandingly precise nature and the future of this estate is in excellent hands.

APPELLATION
Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru

SUB-REGION
Côte de Nuits

GRAPE VARIETY
100% Pinot Noir

FARMING
Sustainable, Organic

SOIL
The top of the slope is poor and pebbly, with rock at a depth of 25 cm; pebbly at the bottom of the slope, but deeper and with more clay

VINEYARDS & VITICULTURE
The Lavaux Saint-Jacques vineyard, with its southern exposure, is tucked into the Combe Lavaux and consists of five parcels totaling 1.2 hectares.

HARVEST & VINIFICATION
50% whole cluster fermentation. Aged 18 months in oak barrels, 20% new, then six months in tank.

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME
13.5

PACK SIZE
6x750mL