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### VINTAGE 2019

#### Côte de Nuits wines

Taster: Bruce Sanderson



# **96** ALBERT BICHOT Chambolle-Musigny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru Les Amoureuses 2019

This is intense from beginning to end, with earth and vegetal accents boosting the core flavors of black currant, blackberry and violet. Combines elegance with power, while an underlying mineral note builds to the long aftertaste. Terrific balance and length. Best from 2025 through 2045. (*Issue: Nov 30, 2021*)

#### 95 ALBERT BICHOT Latricières-Chambertin Grand Cru 2019

Floral, cherry, raspberry, mineral and spice aromas and flavors are the hallmarks of this silky red. Graceful and persistent in a subtle way, this is long and harmonious, with the emphasis on fruit and floral elements right through the finish. A picture of finesse and detail. Best from 2025 through 2042. (*Issue: Nov 30, 2021*)



# **94** ALBERT BICHOT Echezeaux Grand Cru Domaine du Clos Frantin 2019

Black cherry and blackberry are framed by vanilla and toasty oak in this flamboyant red, which is supple and juicy, with a lingering aftertaste of violet and berry notes, as well as chalky tannins. A profile of unrestrained energy. Best from 2025 through 2045. (Issue: Nov 30, 2021)

### 93 ALBERT BICHOT Gevrey-Chambertin 2019

This lithe red is packed with ripe cherry, strawberry and floral aromas and flavors, allied to a supple texture. Firms up as it builds to a lingering finish, remaining fresh and balanced. Very charming and long. Drink now through 2033. (Issue: Nov 30, 2021)

# **92** ALBERT BICHOT Vosne-Romanée Domaine du Clos Frantin 2019

This red is defined by gorgeous cherry, strawberry and currant fruit flavors, accented by hints of cinnamon, vanilla and light, toasty oak. Fresh and harmonious, with a lingering finish of fruit and spice notes. Drink now through 2032. (Issue: Nov 15, 2021)

# **91** ALBERT BICHOT Gevrey-Chambertin Les Murots Domaine du Clos Frantin 2019

A rich style, this red boasts cherry, raspberry, earth and tobacco flavors. The tannins are robust yet integrated, leaving a dense matrix of support on the finish. Best from 2023 through 2033.(Issue: Nov 30, 2021)

### **91** ALBERT BICHOT Fixin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru Clos de la Perrière 2019

A firm red, yet with a beam of cherry fruit offsetting the iron and tobacco notes. This is focused and vibrant, with a long finish of fruit, spice and mineral. Best from 2024 through 2038. (*Issue: Nov 30, 2021*)









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## 93 ALBERT BICHOT Beaune Clos de l'Ermitage 2019

This is rich and silky, setting the stage for black cherry and blackberry fruit, accented by spice and earth. Polished and harmonious, with a lingering, vibrant finish. Drink now through 2033. (Issue: Sep 15, 2021)

### **92** ALBERT BICHOT Beaune Les Epenottes Domaine du Pavillon 2019

Lush and intense fruit, this red features cherry, plum, small red berries and spice flavors. There is a suppleness and harmony that extends through the lingering finish. Drink now through 2032. (Issue: Nov 15, 2021)

## 92 ALBERT BICHOT Pommard Clos des Ursulines Domaine du Pavillon 2019

A lush, polished style, whose texture is saturated with black cherry, blackberry, vanilla and toasty oak flavors. The underlying structure emerges on the lingering finish. Best from 2023 through 2038. (Issue: Nov 30, 2021)

## **90** ALBERT BICHOT Aloxe-Corton 1<sup>er</sup> Cru Clos des Maréchaudes Domaine du Pavillon 2019

This is packed with bright cherry fruit and stays lively as accents of earth and spice add detail. Firm, chalky tannins exert their presence as this red plays out on the long, dense finish. Best from 2024 through 2035. (Issue: Nov 15, 2021)

### 90 ALBERT BICHOT Savigny-Les-Beaune 1er Cru Les Peuillets 2019

Strawberry, cherry and spice flavors highlight this intense, lively red, which is lean, ending on the sinewy side, with chalky tannins. Fresh and long. Best from 2023 through 2032. (Issue: Nov 30, 2021)

## **Regional wines**

## 90 ALBERT BICHOT Bourgogne Côte d'Or Clos Frantin Domaine du Clos Frantin 2019

There is a sappiness to this red, enhancing the wild cherry, boysenberry and earth flavors. A mineral element also emerges as this cruises to a long finish. Drink now through 2025. (Issue: Nov 30, 2021)

## **89** ALBERT BICHOT Bourgogne Vieilles Vignes de Pinot Noir 2019

There is an appealing smoky accent to the black cherry and blackberry fruit in this supple red. Firms up nicely, remaining fresh and persistent on the finish. Drink now through 2025. (Issue: Nov 30, 2021)

## **Beaujolais wines**

## **91** ALBERT BICHOT Moulin à Vent Domaine de Rochegrès 2019

A brooding Gamay with dried blackberry, mocha and leather notes that are matched with spice, licorice and herb details. Smoky finish. Drink now through 2023. (Issue: Oct 31, 2021)

#### **90** ALBERT BICHOT Fleurie La Madone 2019

An enticing red, with hints of tea rose and violet leading to ripe cherry and wild strawberry fruit, backed by a subtle underpinning of fresh, loamy earth. Light, creamy tannins firm the fresh finish. Drink now through 2024. (Issue: Dec 15, 2021)

## **87** ALBERT BICHOT Morgon Les Charmes 2019

A subtle red, with a delicate skein of spice, light, creamy tannins and hints of dried cherry and strawberry fruit. Drink now. (Issue: web only 2021)









