



# Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

## SANTENAY 1<sup>ER</sup> CRU "LA COMME"

2018

- REGION Côte de Beaune
- APPELLATION Santenay Premier Cru
- VILLAGE Santenay
- GRAPE VARIETY Pinot Noir

### *The Vine*

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 25 years
- SOIL Clay and limestone.
- AVERAGE YIELD 40 hl/ha
- HARVEST Hand picked

### *Vinification & Ageing*

- FERMENTATION Traditional in oak barrels with complete malolactic fermentation.
- AGEING 8 to 10 months ageing in oak barrels
- BARRELS Louis Latour cooperage, French oak, medium toasted

### *Description*

It is commonly agreed that the best vineyards of Santenay come from the northern end of the appellation, bordering those of Chassagne-Montrachet. The increased proportion of gravel, marl and limestone in the soil adds structure and richness to the grapes, which in turn produce a more powerful wine. On a gentle South-Eastern facing slope, the vines of Premier Cru "La Comme" produce grapes that reach full maturity. The name "La Comme" is the regional form of "Combe", because the vineyard is in the extension of the Combe of Saint-Aubin.

### *Wine tasting*

- TASTING NOTE This Santenay 1er Cru "La Comme" 2018 displays a beautiful ruby red hue. On the nose it displays nice crunchy red fruits notes as well as strawberry and liquorice aromas. The palate is round with smooth tannins. Nice freshness on the finish.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 5-7 years
- FOOD PAIRING Rabbit terrine - beef in wine sauce - foie gras with apples - Brie cheese.
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 15-17°

