



# Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

## VOLNAY 1<sup>ER</sup> CRU "LES MITANS"

2002

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

### *The Vine*

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 25 years
- SOIL Clayish-Limestone
- AVERAGE YIELD 35hl/ha
- HARVEST Hand picked

### *Vinification & Ageing*

- FERMENTATION Traditional in open vats
- AGEING 10 to 12 months ageing in oak barrels, 35% new
- BARRELS Louis Latour cooperage, French oak, medium toasted

### *Description*

This wine originates in the township of Volnay just south of Beaune and is a neighbour of Pommard. The vineyard is located in the middle of the hillside between Volnay and the main road "D974" Beaune - Châlon-sur-Saône, hence its name, in Old French "Mitan" meaning "middle". This wine from Domaine Louis Latour, fine and elegant, is among the best wines of the Côte de Beaune.

### *Wine tasting*

- TASTING NOTE The Volnay 1er Cru « Mitans » has a fantastic ruby red colour. It is characterized by aromas of cherry, accompanied by woody notes. In the mouth, it is ample and balanced with supple tannins.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 7-10 years
- FOOD PAIRING Suckling pig - knuckle of veal - mature cheeses
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 15-17°

