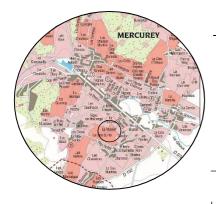


## MERCUREY BLANC PREMIER CRU

# LA MISSION - Monopole

### 2014



#### **TERROIR**

Our vineyard La Mission is composed in 3 small plots and owned at 100% by Château de Chamirey: monopoly. Vines were planted between 1961 and 1997. Surface: 1,9240 hectares (4,75 acres)

Climat & Soil: East/South-west facing plots established on a hilltop above Premier Cru 'Clos du Roi'. Clay/limestony/sandy soil, deep and draining.

#### **WINEMAKING**

To preserve their integrity, grapes are carefully harvested and sorted out by hand. Full clusters.

Following the pneumatic press, juices stay in a vat overnight for a cool settling down and then are directly filled in barrels by gravity.

Alcoholic and malolactic fermentations take place in barrels.

#### **AGING**

Aging process is taking place 100% in traditional Burgundian 228 litres barrels during 15/18 months with around 15/25% of new barrels. We only use light toasted French oak coming mainly from Bourgogne, Allier and Vosges forests.

Light filtration before bottling

## **Key points**

White Mercurey: unique!
Premier Cru monopole
Château label
Price/quality ratio
Serious white from
Bourgogne

#### TASTING NOTES

#### **EYE**

Pretty bright white gold colour with green tints.

#### **NOSE**

Develops acacia aromas, honey white flowers, zesty apple and nectarine. Rich and fresh.

#### **PALATE**

Great volume, opulent and complex. Mineral and fruity character.

#### **SERVICE & CELLARING**

It can be served from now at 12-14°C or kept in cellar for 3 to 8 years, even longer with patience

#### **FOOD & WINE PAIRINGS**

The Mercurey Premier Cru 'La Mission' monopole 2014 will perfectly match with foie gras, truffles, cooked poultries in a sauce, sole filet or soft white cheeses as Tomme or Brillat-Savarin.

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« Here the expressive nose is both more elegant and more complex with its pretty array of citrus peel, pear, green apple and floral scents. There is once again more volume to the appealingly textured flavors that possess an almost tender midpalate yet manage to deliver good punch on the stony, pure and well-balanced finale. This should drink well young if

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#### **Editor Choice**

« The parcel called La Mission in the heart of the Mercurey vineyards is wholly owned by the Devillard family, so they call it a monopoly. It is a wine that effortlessly balances tangerine and lemon flavors with ripe spiced peaches and a tight mineral texture. The wine is still young, still developing, so wait until 2018. »

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