

DOMAINE OLIVIER MORIN Bourgogne Pinot Noir 'Coquette'

Since 1992, when Olivier Morin left a life in the music industry to take over his family's domaine in the medieval town of Chitry-le-Fort, essentially trading in his turntables for a tractor, Olivier has never looked back. Crucially, the vineyards of Chitry (she-TREE) share exactly the same chalky, Kimmeridgian soils as Chablis, just a few miles away. Olivier and his wife Nelly tend their Chardonnay and Pinot Noir vines according to organic practices, for character-rich wines that transcend this modest appellation with their resonant flavors and stunning complexity. What's more, Morin Bourgogne Chitry offers outstanding value.

WINERY: Domaine Olivier Morin **WINEMAKER:** Olivier Morin

ESTABLISHED: 1992

REGION: FRANCE • Burgundy • Chitry-le-Fort

APPELLATION: Bourgogne AOC

BLEND: 100% Pinot Noir

VINEYARDS: A special selection of fruit from both estate vineyards Chitry and the surrounding area, mostly on south/ southeast-facing hillsides. Soils are a mix of marl and clay with Portlandian limestone, similar to the terroir of neighboring Chablis.

AGE OF VINES: 30 to 50 years

WINEMAKING: Destemmed; fermented in temperature-controlled, stainless steel tanks on indigenous yeasts. Aged in older French oak 600L demi-muid in a "solera" for around one year; a small percentage of the wine comes from previous vintages, for more aromatic complexity. Bottled unfiltered.

TASTING IMPRESSIONS: Aromas of mixed cherries and raspberries, light spices, red currant. Suave tannins, medium-bodied; juicy

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: Pork terrine; grilled sausages with herbs

NOTES: 'Coquette' in French suggests a person who uses their charms to

seduce, or something that is elegant and gracious

