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Dear Burgundy Wine Lovers,

We are delighted to offer Burgundy white wine from **Domaine Guffens-Heynen** and **Verget** to you. There are quite some good selection of **Chablis 1er cru** and **Grand Cru**, also **Corton Charlemagne** and **Criots Batard Montrachet** from Verget.

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Maison Verget

History & Winemaking: In 1990, Jean Marrie Guffens created Verget, with the philosophy that can be summed up in one sentence: "THE BEST WINE COMES FROM THE BEST GRAPES". This elementary saying is the corner stone of Verget. Thus, weather in Maconnais, Chablis or Cote d'Or, the best vineyards and best terroirs are selected to produce quality wines. Verget purchases grapes from passionate winegrowers, selected according to their reliability and who became, over time, valuable partners. Verget determines with them the work and the yield of the vineyards. The maturation of the grapes is controlled regularly and the dates of the harvest are determined based on rigorous analyses. The grapes are picked by hand and usually by Verget's teams. After harvest, grapes are received and pressed with the greatest care. An analytic follow up is made at each step of pressing. The grapes of each parcel harvested are pressed and vinified separately. These working methods not only draw the best grapes without altering them but also reveal the character of each terroir.

The raison d'être of Verget is to reveal all the character of the wines by revealing their terroirs. Verget successfully implemented this process for some time now in Chablis and Cote d'Or regions.

Wine	Vintage	Format	RP	BH	Retail	Bottle	Cs of 6
Guffens-Heynen Mâcon-Pierreclos "Le Chavigne"	2011	750ml	93	90-92	\$380	\$300	\$280
Verget Bourgogne "Grand Elevage"	2012	750ml	-	86-88	\$260	\$145	\$135
Verget Pouilly-Fuissé "Terroir de Vergisson" - La Roche	2006	750ml	89	87-90	\$280	\$240	\$230
Verget Chablis 1er Cru "Fourchaume"	2009	750ml	-	90	\$350	\$290	\$270
Verget Chablis 1er Cru "Fourchaume" - Vieilles Vignes de Vaulorens	2008	750ml	93	91-93	\$400	\$320	\$300
Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Bougros" Vieilles Vignes	2009	750ml	-	91-94	\$520	\$460	\$440
Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Vaudésir"	2009	750ml	90	92-94	\$520	\$460	\$440
Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Bougros"	2006	750ml	89+	89-92	\$550	\$460	\$440

Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Blanchot"	2009	750ml	-	92-94	\$550	\$490	\$470
Verget Corton-Charlemagne Vieilles Vignes	2009	750ml	-	-	\$1,190	\$880	\$850
Verget Criots-Batard-Montrachet	2009	750ml	-	-	\$2,100	\$1,980	\$1,930

Verget Bourgogne "Grand Elevage" 2012

Retail: \$260

Member : \$145/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$810 (\$135 per btl)



Blending of plots with clay and limestone soils from the villages of Bussières, Viré, Davayé, Vergisson and Charnay. Only free run juices.

This Bourgogne Blanc has a complex nose before aeration with roasting and spicy aromas, then it evolves to white fruits flavours (vineyard peach). The mouth is powerful and long, well-balanced and of a great purity. This Bourgogne has a remarkable quality and drinkability.

Burghound 86-88 points - "A pretty and very fresh nose that offers better aromatic complexity to the mix of white and yellow orchard fruit scents. The superior complexity extends to the vibrant and delicious middle weight flavors that possess good balance and fine finishing persistence. Solid quality here for the appellation."

Verget Pouilly-Fuissé "Terroir de Vergisson" - La Roche 2006

Retail: \$280

Member : \$240/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$1,380 (\$230 per btl)



This wine comes from three parcels: Les Crays, Les Croux and La Roche with a south eastern exposure at high elevation. The soils are complex, such as the wine, with clay, limestone and granite. In 2006, the nose is gently woody, then the aromas evolve on truffle fragrances. In mouth, the wine has a sweet attack, then it is rich and full bodied and the final is powerful. This wine is at his height, it is to drink in the 2-3 coming years.

Robert Parker 89 points - "The 2006 Pouilly-Fuisse Terroir de Vergisson La Roche offers a cool, herb, chalk, and honeydew melon character, its barrel vinification and batonnage having no doubt promoted its creaminess of texture, but not at the expense of clarity or refreshment. There is a lime, melon, herb, and chalk amalgam in the finish that reminds me a bit of Sauvignon. All of this year's will be best drunk within 2-3 years."

Burghound 87-90 points - "Here there is more moderate wood and again while hardly invisible, it does allow the spicy floral and peach aromas to come into view. The medium full flavors offer good minerality and I like the sense of underlying tension on the solidly persistent finish. Attractive."

Verget Chablis 1er Cru "Fourchaume" 2009

Retail: \$350

Member : \$290/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$1,620 (\$270 per btl)



This wine has always presented an extremely pronounced minerality, so the purpose of wine making has been to bring richness to the wine without distorting it (lees important role). In 2009, this wine has great length and great minerality. The expression of this wine is mainly the purity.

Burghound 90 points - "An appealingly layered green fruit nose that displays solid if not truly special amounts of Chablis character precedes good richness and mid-palate concentration that retains a good sense of focus and underlying tension on the relatively powerful and citrusy finish."

Verget Chablis 1er Cru "Fourchaume" - Vieilles Vignes de Vauloirens 2008

Retail: \$400

Member : \$320/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$1,800 (\$300 per btl)



This wine has always been a very pronounced minerality, so the purpose of wine making has been to bring richness to the wine without distorting it: time in barrels for a few weeks for the round and in concrete tanks on lees to maintain frank and fruity nose in harmony with the mouth. The result is

consistent with our objectives.

Robert Parker 93 points - "Compared to his -regular- Fourchaume bottling from the north side of Vaurorent, Guffens- barrel-fermented 2008 Chablis Fourchaume Vieilles Vignes de Vaurorens (he spells the site with an -s-) demonstrates the difference made by a southerly location and roughly 70 year old vines. Ripe white peach, white currant, and grapefruit are allied to a seductively savory saline, sweet scallop-like essence and the transparent flow of fruit also permits lovely glimpses of floral perfume and herbal essences that were presaged in the nose. This displays a lift and energy, nuanced complexity, and winsome alliance of silken texture with vibrant refreshment that reveal the superb potential of its vintage and site, and I won't disagree with its author's claim that it is unsurpassed in his collection of 2008 Chablis. Expect this beauty to be worth following for a decade."

Burghound 91-93 points - "A pungent and highly expressive nose offers up notes of oyster shell, fennel, white peach and iodine, all of which carry over to the very solidly concentrated mid-palate blessed with ample amounts of dry extract. I very much like the sense of underlying tension and outstanding persistence. In a word, terrific."

Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Bougros" Vieilles Vignes 2009

Retail: \$520

Member : \$460/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$2,640 (\$440 per btl)



For this wine, the best grapes of the plot "Grand Cru Bougros" have been selected. This wine has the "Bougros" wines density features with an extra minerality and precision thanks to the drastic selection in the vineyard and press.

This Bougros surprises by his minerality quite unrivalled at Verget in 2009. A wine not to be missed!

Burghound 91-94 points - "A similar but slightly riper and more restrained nose merges into textured, intense and notably more concentrated big-bodied flavors that possess ample minerality and excellent verve on the tension-filled and very serious finish. This is a fine example of the appellation."

Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Vaudésir" 2009

Retail: \$520

Member: \$460/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$2,640 (\$440 per btl)

This wine seemed at first austere but emerged these last months, during aging on lees. This wine is finally one of the greatest wines produced in 2009.



Robert Parker 90 points - "The 2009 Chablis Vaudésir has a very pure bouquet with attractive limestone and smoke scents percolating through the veneer of green lemon and grapefruit. The palate is well-balanced with a crisp line of acidity, good depth with a focused, resinous, peach-skin finish that lingers nicely in the mouth. This is a fine Grand Cru Vaudésir to drink over the next 5 or 6 years."

Burghound 92-94 points - "A ripe yet elegant and admirably pure nose of green fruit, Granny Smith apple and tidal pool aromas marries into big and rich yet beautifully detailed flavors that brim with dry extract on the powerful and almost painfully intense and youthfully austere finish that goes on and on. Impressive."

Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Bougros" 2006

Retail: \$550

Member : \$460/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$2,640 (\$440 per btl)

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Robert Parker 89+ points - "From the eastern portion of the Bougros – below Preuses – the Verget 2006 Chablis Bougros emphasizes the savory, subtly sweet, crustacean side of minerality just has have several of the most

dramatically expressive wines from Preuses this vintage. Tart apricot and lime offer a rather brash and unexpected contrast with a voluminous and slightly warm palate. Certainly the overall level of concentration is impressive, and 15% new barrels not noticeable, but there is a sort of sweet-tart dichotomy that needs to resolve itself."

Burghound 89-92 points - "Fairly strong reduction again makes the aromatic profile difficult to fairly assess but in classic Bougros fashion, this brings plenty of power and muscle if not finesse or elegance to the party as the flavor ooze dry extract that really stains the palate on the solidly long finish. This is a Chablis of impressive size and weight and while it won't win any awards for elegance, it does deliver excellent length."

Verget Chablis Grand Cru "Blanchot"2009

Retail: \$550

Member: \$490/btl



Cs of 6 @ \$2,820 (\$470 per btl)

This wine has a long finish, a complex nose but quite closed for the moment. It'll be necessary to wait to realize the greatness of this wine.

Burghound 92-94 points - "A hint of residual lactic detracts only mildly from the otherwise pretty floral and primarily citrus fruit aromas that are in keeping with the lemon-suffused, rich and relatively amply-sized flavors that culminate in a strikingly long, dry and crisp finish brimming with Chablis character."

Verget Corton-Charlemagne Vieilles Vignes 2009

Retail: \$1,190

Member : \$880/btl



Cs of 6 @ \$5,100 (\$850 per btl)

With alcoholic and malolactic fermentation very slow the batonnage of the wine was made naturally. The result is a wine of great density, very large and long finish thanks to the separation of juice during the pressing. This Corton Charlemagne has a very spicy and peppery nose. This is a wine with

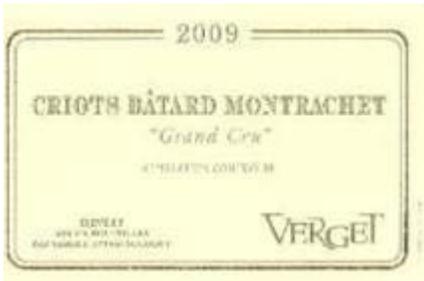
great potential for aging.

Verget Criots-Batard-Montrachet 2009

Retail: \$2,100

Member : \$1,980/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$11,580 (\$1,930 per btl)



This Grand Cru close to Batard-Montrachet , is characterized by its power and is especially surprising in its fineness, although it is still very young to be enjoyed in this great vintage. This wine is extremely rare for a minimal production, is a true rarity and a first for Verget wine making. We are very proud to offer you this Grand Cru which can be enjoyed for several decade.



Domaine Guffens-Heynen

History & Winemaking: In 1976, Maine and Jean-Marie Guffens-Heynen leave their homeland Flanders for Burgundy, a land where they have gathered their creativity, sensibility and combined with a real passion for wine turn them into winegrowers whose talents is widely recognized. Today, Domaine guffens-Heynen covers 5.3 hectares on the hills of Pierreclose, Vergisson and Davaye. The vineyards are worked

according to simple and natural methods. Chemical treatments are prohibited and grapes are harvested by hand at full maturity. This maturity is evaluated by taste without analysis because if grapes are not good, the wine will not be either. Generally, due to simple vision, grapes are picked in several sortings. The same level of requirement applies to winemaking. Soft pressing of the grapes in an ancient vertical wine press, natural fermentation without yeast, ageing of the wines on their lees and bottling without filtration are all essential steps in the search for excellence. This displayed desire of authenticity and simplicity is the raison d'être of Domaine Guffents-Heynen. It gives remarkable results: **WINES OF GREAT PURITY, MINERALITY & RICHNESS.**

Today, Domaine Guffens-Heynen is famous worldwide both for the quality of its wines and the unusual personality of its owners.

GUFFENS-HEYNEN Mâcon-Pierreclos "Le Chavigne"

2011

Retail: \$380

Member : \$300/btl

Cs of 6 @ \$1680 (\$280 per btl)



Macon-Pierreclos appellation stretches on a 3.3 hectare parcel, planted with vines of all age from 10 to 80: Chavigne. Exposed south-west with slopes close to 40%, this parcel is not easily accessible and its mechanical exploitation is therefore very limited.

Robert Parker 93 points - "The 2011 Macon-Pierreclos Le Chavigne sees 15% new oak. It has an attractive bouquet with almond and honeysuckle aromas plus hints of jasmine joining in with time. The palate is well-balanced with orange zest and apricot on the entry; a finely tuned acidity and a lovely build to a succulent apricot and quince finish. Superb."

Burghound 91-94 points - "A similar but slightly riper and more restrained nose merges into textured, intense and notably more concentrated big-bodied flavors that possess ample minerality and excellent verve on the tension-filled and very serious finish. This is a fine example of the appellation."

All wines subject to final confirmation and on first come first serve basis. Stock is limited.

