



Gevrey-Chambertin 2012

16.5+ Drink 2014 → 2019

Bright, punchy red cherry fruit. Fine-grained tannins with a sort of juniper crunch on the finish. Very foody, and quite aristocratic.

Gevrey-Chambertin 1^{er} Cru Au Closeau 2012

17,5 Drink 2017 → 2028

Mid purplish cherry. A real distinctive wine in terms of its style : ripe and spicy, fragrant, dark fruit. Similar on the palate, with a savoury, tannic finesse. Mouthwatering and gripping at the same time but there's the fruit to create an elegant though powerful long term.

Gevrey-Chambertin 1^{er} Cru Craipillot 2012

16.5 Drink 2016 → 2026

Open, modern, seductive fruit and sweet oak in a way that reminds me very much of Rioja. Good Rioja, mind- but it isn't intrinsically Gevrey, for me. Slight bitterness to finish.





Clos de Vougeot 2012

17.5 + Drink 2018 → 2030

Juicy and sweet fruit; pleasantly punchy tannins. This has the gutsiness that their Chapelle-Chambertin seems to lack. Real leathery, savoury power on the finish...

Bonnes Mares 2012

17.5 Drink 2020 → 2035

Lovely oak scent and beautifully succulent red fruit. A good rasp of tannin gives firmness and weight. Long, concentrated fruit power. Lots of potential here.

Chambertin Clos de Bèze 2012

19 Drink 2020 → 2042

Slightly dull, deep ruby. Very sumptuous nose – really gorgeous! Fully open and subtle and seductive. Dryish on the end but hints of liquorice and red fruits. Really very impressive. Intense charge of fruit. Vibrant finish.

Fabulous.

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