

Beaujolais-Villages , Domaine Lardy

Beaujolais, France



Product code	LL10ZZRC
Grapes	Gamay
Country	FRANCE
ABV%	12.5
Case Size	6
Closure Style	Cork
Producer	Domaine Lardy
Vintage	2020



HVE Certified

 LUCIEN LARDY

Producer

Beaujolais displaying the individuality that can only come from a good single grower, is the exception rather than the rule. Lucien and Claude Lardy, based in the village of Fleurie, own 12.5 hectares of very old, carefully tended vines, divided between the cru villages of Fleurie, Morgon and Moulin á Vent. Instead of selling their grapes to a negociant, they bottle all of their production themselves and are justifiably proud of their award winning wines which range from light, floral and easy drinking to more powerful, complex wines.

Tasting Notes

Coming as it does from the superior northern part of the region, this is no ordinary quaffing Beaujolais but a well balanced lively wine with ripe fruit aromas and flavours.

Viticulture

Planted with Gamay grapes and from a parcel that borders the Fleurie appellation, the vines for this wine were put down in 1951. The domaine, covering 14 hectares in total, follows the Haut Valeur Environnementale (HVE) charter for, meaning the creation of a biodiversity in the vineyard by encouraging the growth of flowers and planting trees and hedges around the parcels so as to attract insects as well as managing the use of water and waste. Lardy plants at 10,000 vines per hectare and the soils are composed of granite.