



Sylvain Bzikot AOC Bourgogne Aligoté

An amazing story not typical of Burgundy! The Bzikot family are Polish emigrants whom arrived in Puligny just before World War II with nothing but their clothes on. From those very humble beginnings working in various domaines of Burgundy, this family has managed to acquire an impressive domaine of 4ha of some of the best vineyards in the village of Puligny- Montrachet. With minimal intervention in the vineyards and cellar, Sylvain Bzikot produces wines that are at one ripe and rich, yet elegant and complex. Affordable and fun-loving, he is one of the underground wine making stars of the region.



COUNTRY

France

VARIETAL

Bourgogne Aligoté

SOIL TYPE

Limestone soils combined with marl and clay.

VINEYARD

Tiny plot with East and Southeast exposure.

HARVEST

Hand harvested and hand sorted twice in the vineyard and at the entrance of the winery.

VINIFICATION

Very slow and gentle pneumatic press. Elevage is around 16 months in oak barrels with 25% new oak before returning to stainless steel vats for two months.

TASTING NOTES

The aromatics are stony with notes of crushed limestone, white citrus and stone fruits intertwined with dried and fresh herbs. The palate shows wonderful balance, a medium textural weight enlivened by pithy rasping acids, energy and an abundance of mouth-watering tangy freshness with a classic wet river pebble finish.

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