

PRIVATE CELLAR



Domaine Hubert Lamy An Offer of Magnums, Jeroboams and Methuselah

Olivier Lamy is a vigneron through and through and his earliest memories are of walking in the vineyards with his parents. The Lamy family can trace their roots in St Aubin back to 1640 and Olivier took over the reins from his father in 1996. After his formal viticultural and oenological training, he traveled to Canada to do a 'stage' – wanting to learn something completely different in terms of techniques and scale from what he would spend his life doing when he took over the family domaine. Time at Domaine Méo-Camuzet followed where he learnt many principles which have become the mainstay of his philosophy today.

In common with many of his contemporaries, Olivier is re-evaluating many of the vineyard routines employed by his father and grandfather; in his grandfather's day, the grapes were sold to négociants and so volume was more important than quality but the reverse is true today and so Olivier has instituted a programme of re-planting more densely, with better clones. He concentrates his efforts in the vineyards, ploughing to oxygenate the soil, hoeing around the roots and working according to 'lutte raisonnée' principles. He knows that the more work he does in the vineyard, the better the quality of the fruit will be, and with further fruit selection he is able to employ a minimal interventionist approach in the winemaking.

Olivier is a hard-working and dedicated grower, constantly changing his techniques and experimenting to make better and better wine – his ambition is simply to make the best St Aubin and, in our view, he is well on the way to achieving that goal.

2008 Vintage

An incredibly challenging growing season, with the harvest saved by an Indian summer with a drying northerly wind, warm, sunny days and cool nights which allowed the fruit to ripen. The whites are fresh, vibrant with excellent concentration and balancing acidity. The Lamy wines will start to be approachable from 2012 and will be delicious medium-term drinking.

2007 Vintage

After an early bud-break and flowering, cool weather followed, with over half of the annual rainfall falling between May and August. High pressure moved in the third week of August and with it sunshine and a northerly wind. A great deal of sorting before and during harvest was required but the best of the whites have a lovely purity of expression, already seeming very accessible, and are aromatically very precise and pure. For drinking from 2011.

2006 Vintage

Unusually cold, wet weather alternated with record breaking heat spells but September came in hot and sunny, finally allowing the fruit to ripen. Harvesting took place mainly in fine weather; however the key to success was the rigorous sorting after picking to eliminate any grapes affected by rot or patchy ripening. There are some outstanding wines to be found, with the emphasis particularly on the whites. Some producers feel their 2006 whites are superior to their 2005s. For drinking from 2010.



These wines are offered subject to remaining unsold. Offer closes on Friday 9th April 2010.

Duty, VAT and delivery will be payable upon shipment, scheduled for April / May 2010.

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St Aubin 1er Cru 'Les Frionnes'

Olivier's 2.4 hectares of 'Les Frionnes' - a steep, south-east facing vineyard, just as you enter St Aubin - were planted in 1935, 1960 and 1985.

St Aubin 1er Cru 'Les Frionnes' 2008	8 cases of Magnums	£260
St Aubin 1er Cru 'Les Frionnes' 2007	4 jeroboams	£108

St Aubin 1er Cru 'Clos du Meix'

'Clos du Meix' is in the heart of the village and Olivier's 0.70 hectares were re-planted between 1985-1995.

St Aubin 1er Cru 'Clos du Meix' 2008	6 cases of Magnums	£260
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St Aubin 'Derrière chez Edouard'

Olivier's 0.7 hectare of the charmingly named 'Derrière chez Edouard' vineyard, on the west side of the village, was planted in 2000.

St Aubin 1er Cru 'Derrière chez Edouard' 2008	6 cases of Magnums	£260
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St Aubin 1er Cru 'En Remilly'

The prime 'En Remilly' vineyard lies on the Puligny-St Aubin border. Olivier owns 2 hectares which were planted in 1989.

St Aubin 1er Cru 'En Remilly' 2008	8 cases of Magnums	£320
St Aubin 1er Cru 'En Remilly' 2007	3 cases of Magnums	£335
St Aubin 1er Cru 'En Remilly' 2007	12 jeroboams	£124
St Aubin 1er Cru 'En Remilly' 2007	2 methuselah	£190
St Aubin 1er Cru 'En Remilly' 2006	3 jeroboams	£130

St Aubin 1er Cru 'Clos de la Chatenière'

This is one of St Aubin's most famous vineyards and is south-west facing on the road between Puligny and St Aubin. Olivier's holding of 1.25 hectares was planted in 1964.

St Aubin 1er Cru 'Clos de la Chatenière' 2007	6 jeroboams	£125
St Aubin 1er Cru 'Clos de la Chatenière' 2006	2 jeroboams	£135

Puligny Montrachet 'Les Tremblots'

Olivier's 'Les Tremblots' comprises 0.90 of a hectare planted in 1946 and 1970. The Tremblots vineyard lies on the border of Puligny and Chassagne, between Les Houlières and Les Enseignères.

Puligny Montrachet 'Les Tremblots' 2008	6 cases of Magnums	£350
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Chassagne Montrachet 1er Cru 'Les Macherelles'

'Les Macherelles' is just below Les Vergers to the north of the village. Olivier's 0.16 hectare of vines was planted in 1988.

Chassagne Montrachet 1er Cru 'Les Macherelles' 2008	4 cases of Magnums	£450
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* Magnums are 1.5 litres in size and packed in cases of 6
 Jéraboams are 3 litres in size and packed individually
 Methuselah are 4.5 litres in size and packed individually

