

TOP 100 WINES OF FRANCE 2020

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ALBERT BICHOT CLOS DE VOUGEOT GRAND CRU DOMAINE DU CLOS FRANTIN 2018

Country: France
Region: Burgundy
Vintage: 2018

Score: **95**

The depth and complexity to this young Clos de Vougeot is impressive, to say the least. It's full-bodied and layered with chewy, polished tannins and excellent berry, smoke, walnut and black-tea character. Just a hint of wild herbs. A wine that needs time to soften. Try after 2023.



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ALBERT BICHOT CORTON-CHARLEMAGNE GRAND CRU DOMAINE DU PAVILLON 2018

Country: France
Region: Burgundy
Vintage: 2018

Score: **97**

Wow. This is really something. Shows such pedigree and strength, yet with finesse and balance. It's full-bodied with a compact palate that gives this wine density yet tension, together with phenolics that are intertwined to give such presence. Cooked apples, straw, hints of oak, white truffles and sea shells. Has so much going on. Try after 2023 and onwards.