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BENOIT GAUTIER
Brut Vouvray Antique NV

This plump sparkler shows notes of ginger, apple, piecrust and quince that are well-defined through the lightly toasty finish. Drink now. 150 cases imported. (Sep 30, 2014)

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BENOIT GAUTIER
Vouvray Sec Argilex 2014

Green apple, pear and candied lime notes form the core in this friendly version, with a slightly off-dry edge on the quince-tinged finish. Drink now through 2016. 125 cases imported. (Nov 30, 2015)

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BENOIT GAUTIER
Vouvray Sec Clos La Lanterne 2013

Ripe for the vintage, with pear, fig and ginger notes showing good energy. A light anise thread shows on the finish. Drink now. 800 cases made. (Nov 30, 2015)

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BENOIT GAUTIER
Vouvray 2010

Juicy and pure, with a tasty mix of green and yellow apple fruit intertwined with fennel, anise and star fruit notes. Offers a bright, juicy finish. Drink now through 2016. 400 cases made. (Feb 28, 2013)

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BENOIT GAUTIER
Vouvray Sec Argilex 2010

Open and well-cut, with star fruit, pineapple and quince notes that stay defined through the racy finish. Solid and direct. Drink now through 2014. 150 cases imported. (Web Only)

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BENOIT GAUTIER
Vouvray Sec Clos La Lanterne 2009

A delicious pure, unadorned core of pear, quince and fig fruit is offset nicely by a dry powdered ginger underpinning. The long finish lets the quince note linger as this picks up an almost off-dry hint. Drink now through 2017. 480 cases made. (Dec 31, 2011)

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BENOIT GAUTIER Vouvray 2008

A soft, friendly style, with green melon, apple and fig flavors backed by a touch of pear skin for just enough definition on the finish. Drink now. 300 cases imported. (Sep 30, 2010)

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BENOIT GAUTIER Vouvray Sec Argilex 2008

A racy, dry version, with pear, green almond and quince notes backed by a long, minerally finish. Very stylish. Drink now through 2012. 170 cases imported. (Sep 30, 2010)

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BENOIT GAUTIER Vouvray 2007

Light, with an off-dry hint to the green apple, fig and pear notes, followed by an easy finish. Drink now. 400 cases imported. (Web Only)

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BENOIT GAUTIER Vouvray 2006

Plump up front, with open-knit fig, quince and pear notes backed by a bracing hint of ginger on the finish. Drink now through 2009. 1,000 cases made. (Jun 15, 2008)

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BENOIT GAUTIER Vouvray Sec Argilex 2006

Frankly lean, with flint and lime notes backed by a bony minerality. Bright, with solid length for the vintage. Drink now through 2009. 300 cases made. (Jun 15, 2008)

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BENOIT GAUTIER Vouvray Argilex 2005

Medium-weight, with pretty quince, apple and humus hints and a nice minerally edge to the finish. Drink now. 400 cases imported. (Jul 31, 2007)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Cuvée du 5 Novembre 2005

Sweet and juicy, with lots of fig, quince and candied citrus peel flavors, backed by a round, lengthy finish. Very forward and fruit-driven, but with enough freshness for balance. Drink now through 2010. 1,000 cases imported. (Aug 31, 2008)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Sec Clos La Lanterne 2005

Offers an elegant framework, with light-bodied notes of powdered ginger, green melon, pine and mineral. Slightly taut finish. Drink now through 2009. 50 cases imported. (Web Only)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray 2004

Sports an off-dry feel, with green almond, spice, peach and persimmon flavors backed by a lightly sweet finish. Nice vibrancy. Drink now through 2008. 1,000 cases made. (Feb 28, 2006)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Argilex 2004

Lean style, with a grassy edge to the citrus and floral notes. Taut, flinty finish. Probably a bit too severe in style for most. Drink now through 2007. 900 cases made. (Web Only)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Sec Clos La Lanterne 2004

A nervy spine drives this Vouvray, with notes of ginger, humus, green almond and brioche. Nice, firm finish. Drink now through 2009. 500 cases made. (May 31, 2006)

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Vouvray 2003

Washed out, with faint lime flavor. Clean, but not much here. 1,000 cases made. (Web Only)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Sec Clos La Lanterne 2003

Plump, fruity style with forward tangerine, orange blossom and ginger notes. Slightly off-dry feel to the finish. Drink now. 480 cases made. (Aug 31, 2005)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray 2002

Rich, with enticing mango and honeydew flavors up front and lime, floral and white peach notes on the back end. The fruit builds nicely here, and the finish is vibrant. Forward style, with an off-dry feel. Drink now through 2005. (Oct 15, 2003)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Moelleux Clos Château Chevrier 2002

Sweet, with pineapple, fig and quince flavors that are richly laid out over fresh acidity. Tangy finish has green almond notes, with fine length too. Solid. Drink now through 2007. 500 cases made. (May 15, 2004)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray 2001

Racy Vouvray, with green almond, quince and mineral notes, and a bright, lengthy finish that should unfold nicely in the short term. Nicely done. Drink now through 2004. 2,000 cases made. (Sep 30, 2002)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray 2000

A round, juicy white, straightforward in its approach, with attractive peach, apple and mineral notes. Good, refreshing finish. Drink now. (Dec 15, 2001)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Sec Clos La Lanterne 2000

Round and soft, tending toward the lanolin, vanilla and beeswax range of flavors, with some citrus accents. Bottle time may benefit the harmony. Drink now through 2003. (Dec 15, 2001)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray 1996

Shows a mix of lemon, cooked apple and herb flavors, with a hint of spritz. Lively, but a bit unbalanced. (Nov 15, 1998)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Demi-Sec 1996

Crisp, quite dry, with light apple and peach flavors and a hint of spritz that keeps it lively. A nice match with light dishes. Drink now. (Jun 30, 1998)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Moelleux Clos La Lanterne 1996

This full-bodied white is quite dry, with smoky, toasty notes dominating the ripe apple flavors. Firm and balanced. Drink now through 1999. (Jun 15, 1998)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray Sec Clos La Lanterne 1996

Apple and peach flavors are assertive, crisp and well defined in this lively white. A bit tart but should soften with food. Drink now. (Jun 30, 1998)

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BENOIT GAUTIER

Vouvray 1995

Quite lean and crisp for Vouvray, this offers herb and citrus flavors and sharp acidity. Needs food to soften and harmonize. Drink now. (Jun 15, 1997)

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