Château de Pizay

Morgon "La Centenaire" Morgon "Les Sybarites" Pizay Morgon Beaujolais Blanc Beaujolais



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A special bottling from Morgon with a unique story, the vineyard parcel producing Pizay (PEA-ZAY) Morgon "La Centenaire" was planted 108 years ago, in 1915, during World War I, when the men were away at war and the estate was run by the women, who put all the vines in the ground. The 2021 vintage gives voice to these exceptionally old vines, which reach deep into the earth for nutrients, resulting in richly concentrated, robust, age-worthy wines. Château de Pizay is among the oldest and most respected estates in the Beaujolais region, with records dating to 1030. It was one of the first 150 wineries in France to be certified HVE3 (sustainable). This protected AOC spreads over 2,700 acres and is said to "boast the fruit of a Beaujolais and the charm of a Burgundy."

Region: Beaujolais, France **Appellation:** Morgon

Vine Age: 108 Years - vineyard planted in 1915 during WWI

Varietals: Gamay

Soil Type: Silt & Sand

Alcohol: 13% Closure: DIAM Cork

UPC # 641895113316 **Size:** 750 mL **Vinification:** Hand-harvest with 9-to-11 day maceration. Pneumatic press, maturing in large oak barrels for 8 months.

Tasting Notes: Rich and robust, from vines planted in 1915, a heady mix of red and black cherry extend through a fuller body with fine tannins, lovely structure and a seductive savory finish.

Pairing: Delicious with rosemary lamb chops, grilled salmon, Ahi tuna, juicy cuts of beef, and Brie

"A very polished Morgon ... a hint of chocolate and vanilla are married to the ripe blackberry fruit." - James Suckling, 92 Points

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