



Blanc Des Millénaires 1995

A masterpiece from the Côte des Blancs in a mythical vintage

A MAGNIFICENT BLANC DE BLANCS

Exclusively made from Chardonnay and a strict selection of 4 "grands crus" from the Côte des Blancs (Avize, Cramant, Oger, Le Mesnil-sur-Oger) & 1 "premier cru" (Vertus) which grants a unique nobility, elegance & generosity to the wine

MYTHICAL

More than 15 years of ageing in 2,000 year-old Gallo-Roman chalk cellar after which the wine is named

VINTAGE 1995

The splendid 1995 growing season revealed idyllic expressions of lofty Grand Cru Chardonnay tones and voluptuous, velvety textures characteristic in the rarely produced Blanc des Millénaires

The Blend 100% Chardonnay

Tasting Notes

EYE: Luminous golden hue with primrose highlights

Delicate, distinctive

NOSE: Hazelnuts, almonds & dates

Deep heady notes of beeswax & nougat

PALATE: Smooth & sensual

Generosity of salty caramel

Mildness, with a hint of almond milk Subtle notes of vanilla & cedar wood

Suggested Caviar topped Blinis

Pairings Danish smoked salmon filet

White truffle vichyssoise Fine Swiss Chocolates

95 Wine Spectator 66 An elegant blanc de blancs, with a finely detailed, creamy mousse. There's a purity to the fruit flavors of poached white peach and orange granita that finds fine integration with accents of toasted brioche, grilled hazelnut and ground cardamom. Aging beautifully, this is rich in flavor yet still vibrant and well-focused through the lacy finish. ??

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• <u>In 1851</u>, Charles Heidsieck founded his house in Reims when he was only 29 years old.

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- In 1852, he was the *very first* champagne merchant to travel to America. He became a genuine phenomenon, soon earning the nickname "*Champagne Charlie*".
- In 1867, Charles Heidsieck invested in **Gallo Roman Chalk Cellars** dating back to the 2nd century; a labyrinth of underground galleries, dug by hand, creating ideal conditions for aging his wines.
- One of these galleries, **Crayère n°9** has inspired the shape of our unique bottle.