



House Red Club

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Twice per year, the **House Red** Club brings you 12 bottles of a reliably delicious, good-value Red Burgundy, so you'll always have something good on hand for everyday.



Thiébauld Huber - Domaine Huber-Verdereau

You now have a full case of that may be one of the toughest finds in the wine world these days - a reliably yummy Red Burg in the \$20-\$25 range. Even 10-15 years ago, before Burgundy prices skyrocketed, there was not a lot of satisfaction to be found in the world of entry-level Red Burgs.

2021 Huber-Verdereau Bourgogne Côte d'Or "Les Constances" - **\$25**

Winemaker Thiébault Huber is a force of nature, having taken over his grandfather's 7.5-acre estate in 1994 and grown it into 27 acres today, while tirelessly working with his neighbors and colleagues to make winegrowing more sustainable throughout Burgundy. His infectious personality is infused in his wines - every one of them is full of life and energy. A Huber-Verdereau wine is NEVER boring!

Bourgogne Côte d'Or is a relatively new appellation, created a few years ago to indicate a step up from the generic "Bourgogne". The **Côte d'Or** designation means that the grapes can only come from vines in the best villages in Burgundy, those in the famous Côte d'Or - whereas "Bourgogne" allows the grapes to come from anywhere in the region, including Beaujolais and the Mâconnais. In the case of red wines, a Bourgogne Côte d'Or can only be produced from Pinot Noir.

Thiébault's wine is from a single, 1.6-acre parcel just below Volnay called **Les Constances** - which coincidentally happens to be the name of one of his daughters. (The vineyard was named a few centuries before the birth of his daughter!) This parcel is certified Biodynamic, making it perhaps the most well-tended Bourgogne anywhere.

It's soft, pretty, luscious, and made to go with food, though it totally rocks on its own for an evening on the deck as well. Cheers!

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