

CHAMPAGNE COLLET

CUVÉE N°21 NV



WINEMAKER: Sebastien Walasiak
REGION: Aÿ, France
VARIETALS: Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Meunier
MATURATION: Aged seven years in 100-year-old chalk cellars
DOSAGE: 8.0 g/L

ABOUT: Champagne Collet, established in 1921 as part of the oldest Champagne cooperative in the Grand Cru village of Aÿ, is proud to celebrate its 100 year anniversary. To celebrate their centenary, Champagne Collet has made a commemorative bottling called "Cuvée n°21". It is a blend of 21 of the Champagne House's best years dating back to 1961. Aged for 7 years in Collet's century-old chalk cellars, this wine is exclusively sourced from the Grand Cru and Premier Cru villages of Cramant, Ambonnay, Mailly, Avize, Hautvillers, Villers Marmery, Vertus, Verzenay and Chouilly. This one of a kind Champagne was made in very limited quantity and will never be seen again.

Disgorged and blended in 2021 this rare Champagne is comprised of the 21 best vintage which include: 1961, 1969, 1971, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1985, 1986, 1988, 1989, 1991, 1993, 1995, 1996, 1999, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, & 2012.

TASTING NOTES: Refined bouquet of fresh honeysuckle, buttered toast and almonds. Incredible aged characteristics in this blend. Tiny, delicate bubbles with rich and decadent flavors of caramel, roasted nuts, nectarine and candied ginger. A very long, elegant and silky Champagne.

CRITICAL ACCLAIM: 93 pts Decanter

ABOUT CHAMPAGNE COLLET: The history of Champagne Collet is inextricably linked to the history of the Champagne region. A founding member of COGEVI, Champagne Collet's history harkens back to the Revolt Champenoise that established Champagne as an appellation. It is located in the heart of Aÿ, one of Champagne's 17 Grand Cru villages and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Since 1921, Champagne Collet has produced elegant and regionally distinctive cuvées from Grand Cru and Premier Cru vineyards. Their wines are centered on gastronomy and capture the artistic and joyful spirit of the Art Deco period.

