



Soliste Meunier Pierry 1er Cru Les Gouttes d'Or 2018

Disgorged this year with 1.5 grams per liter dosage, the 2018 Extra-Brut Soliste Meunier Pierry 1er Cru Les Gouttes d'Or bursts with aromas of sweet orchard fruit, mango, white flowers and almonds. Medium to fullbodied, ample and pillowy, with a sweet core of fruit that's framed by chalky dry extract, its fleshy mid-palate segues into a long, precise finish.

94 pts- William Kelley, The Wine Advocate, December 2023

The 2018 Champagne Soliste Meunier Les Gouttes D'Or Extra Brut is from a single parcel on clay and Campanian chalk soils that's made up exclusively of Meunier vines planted in 1951. A straw-copper hue, it offers pretty Meunier aromas of fresh flowers, white strawberry, fresh orange, and saline broth. Medium-bodied, it opens with an expansive and fluffy mousse that dissipates to a more chalky and pithy texture that lasts for ages after the wine is gone, adding a lively balance of structure that makes this a more gastronomic-styled Champagne. Displaying a lot of character, with good depth of fruit and a rather long, balanced finish, it's a fabulous offering from the estate and from this abundant vintage. Drink 2023-2030. It was raised sur latte under cork. 2 grams per liter dosage and disgorged December of 2022.

94 pts- Audrey Frick, JebDunnuck.com, November 17, 2023