



## HOUSE OF TOWNEND

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# Pouilly Fuissé 'Au Bourg' 2023, Domaine Luquet Depuis 1878

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<b>Price</b>	£32.00
<b>Code</b>	POUI240

Produced from vines that average nearly 60 years old, situated in the Clos just in front of the church in the centre of the village of Fuissé. The church protects the vines from the westerly winds which makes this the warmest parcel of Fuissé. This vineyard was initially planted back in 1927 by the Great Grandfather of the current generation, Maurice Luquet.

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### Tasting Notes:

The style is elegant and moreish, very fruit forward in 2023, and showing ripe pear, mango and baked apple, with creamy mid-palate and lovely steely tension. Always a highlight of any visit to the Mâconnais!

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Specification	
<b>Vinification</b>	Produced from 60 year old vines. Mechanical harvest, pneumatic pressing at low pressure. Natural yeast. Malolactic fermentation 100% steel tank fermented following which the wine is held in tank on fine lees for 7 months.
<b>ABV</b>	12.5%
<b>Size</b>	75cl
<b>Drinking Window</b>	Drink from 2025
<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Burgundy
<b>Area</b>	Mâconnais
<b>Sub Area</b>	Pouilly-Fuissé
<b>Type</b>	White Wine
<b>Grapes</b>	Chardonnay
<b>Genres</b>	Fine Wine, Vegan, Vegetarian
<b>Vintage</b>	2023
<b>Style</b>	Dry
<b>Body</b>	Rich, round and full flavoured
<b>Producer</b>	Domaine Luquet Depuis 1878
<b>Producer Overview</b>	Domaine Luquet Depuis 1878 is run by fifth generation Patrick Luquet. This 26 ha family domaine is very much in the heart of the village of Fuissé, in the Saône-et-Loire department (7 kms from Mâcon) Indeed the 'Clos du Bourg' is situated in front of the Church in the centre of the village. Patrick uses no oak ageing in the winemaking process whatsoever, producing wines that express both fruit and terroir with no interfering dimensions. As Patrick says "We really appreciate our terroir". Renowned for their purity his wines are beautiful from an early age.
<b>Closure Type</b>	Cork