



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Savennières 'Les Genêts'

Damien Laureau

Price £44.99
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Specification	
ABV	13.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink now through to 2026
Country	France
Region	Loire Valley
Area	Savennières
Type	White Wine
Grape Mix	100% Chenin Blanc
Vintage	2016
Style	Dry
Body	Rich, rounded and full flavoured
Producer	Damien Laureau
Producer Overview	<p>Despite being self-taught, the very friendly and likeable Damien Laureau is now widely acknowledged to be producing some of the appellations finest wines. Born in Versailles to a family of cereal farmers, Damien moved to Angers to work for his uncle, Jean-Louis Laureau, who owns pear orchards in Frémur and a vineyard in Ste-Gemme-sur-Loire. Together they created a small domaine in the mid-1990s producing Anjou Rouge and Blanc. It was here that Damien's interest in wine began. He believes it was fate that bought him to Anjou. In 1999, Laureau took the opportunity to rent a 5.5ha parcel in the Moulin de Beaupréau from Madame De Vaulchier, after the previous occupant went bankrupt. Read more online</p>
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	A super match with freshwater fish and Coquilles St- Jacques as well as chicken served in a cream-based sauce with mushrooms.