



## **2012 David Moret Puligny Montrachet 1Er Cru les Folatieres**

A Chardonnay Dry White Table wine from Les Folatieres, Puligny Montrachet, Cote de Beaune, Burgundy, France

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Rating: 92

Drink 2014 - 2025

Cost:

The 2012 Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru Les Folatieres is much more complex on the nose than the village cru: citrus lemon, flint and a touch of quince that is brimming over with energy, with a light marine elements emerging with time. The palate is vibrant and engaging with hazelnut and oyster shell informing the finish that is precise and long. Excellent. Drink 2014-2025. I was unfamiliar with the wines of David Moret until I chanced upon bottled 2012s in London. His first two wines in the line-up, the Rully and Saint Romain Village, were both exemplary for their respective appellations and subsequent crus went some way in justifying their not inexpensive price tags. David works out of his winery in Beaune and actually began his career selling winery equipment, the perfect way to introduce himself to local vignerons. By the late 1990s he was acquiring his first barrels. Since then he has purchased grapes that are always sourced from the same parcels of vine. New oak is used prudently, around 20% for the premier crus in order to express their terroirs, which they do with some style. Importer: no known US importer but available through Liberty Wines in the UK.

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