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## 2015 BEAUJOLAIS: MONUMENTAL BUT OFTEN ATYPICAL

### CHÂTEAU DE BEAUREGARD JOSEPH BURRIER

*"...Burrier produces a range of top-notch wines that, unsurprisingly from a white wine specialist, showcase vibrancy, balance and finesse. That's not to say that they lack for depth or structure but the emphasis here is clearly on delicacy over force, even in a rich vintage like 2015."*

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Rating Scale

90-95

Outstanding.

A wine of remarkable personality and breed that is well worth seeking out.

85-89

Excellent.

A strong wine with true character that provides highly enjoyable drinking. This is the sweet spot for values and everyday wines that won't break the bank.

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#### MOULIN-À-VENT 'CLOS DES PÉRELLES' 2015

Juicy and pliant, offering sweet, impressively concentrated blackberry and cherry liqueur flavors and a hint of candied flowers. Smooth tannins build slowly on the strikingly long, smooth finish, where the dark fruit and spice notes return.

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#### FLEURIE 'PONCIÉ' 2015

Sappy and incisive in the mouth, offering sweet dark berry and lavender pastille flavors and a hint of spicecake. Shows impressive lift, clarity and energy on a very long, spice-tinged finish that emphatically repeats the floral note.

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#### MOULIN-À-VENT 'LA SALOMINE' 2015

Mineral-laced 'cherry and dark berry scents are complemented by a spicy suggestion of white pepper. Supple, broad and concentrated, offering appealing/y sweet black raspberry, cherry cola and lavender pastille flavors and an enlivening jolt of peppery spices. Shows excellent focus and lift on the finish, which features velvety tannins and lingering spiciness.

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#### FLEURIE 'COLONIES DE ROCHEGRÈS' 2015

Sappy, concentrated black raspberry and boysenberry flavors smoothly blend richness and finesse and pick up a smoky nuance as the wine opens up. Closes long and sweet, featuring building tannins and an echo of ripe, spice-laced blue fruit.

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