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**Armelle and Bernard RION, their daughter Alice and her husband Louis, are working on 8 ha, mostly on Côte de Nuits. For the work of the vine and the wine aging, the Rion family keeps using the tradition handed down from generation to generation.**

## VOSNE-ROMANÉE – Cuvée Dame Juliette

Red wine made from Pinot Noir grapes.

This wine is a blend of 3 plots in the same area, that's why we use this unusual and poetic name in burgundy. The selection of this name, "Cuvée Dame Juliette" is also a way to reward Bernard's mother, Juliette Rion (still living in Vosne-Romanée), for her 60 years of vineyard work.

You can notice that our Vosne-Romanée (0.5 ha) is located at the south of the village of Vosne-Romanée, in the direction of Nuits-Saint-Georges. For this field, and in all the exploitation, the Domaine Rion makes a sustainable and rational agriculture, by working the soil without insecticides.

After a manual harvest, grapes are destemmed and ferment in a cement tank during about 2 weeks. The grapes are treated manually every day. When the fermentation is over, we do the pressing in a pneumatic press, afterwards wines are ageing peacefully in oak barrels (45% of new wood) during about fifteen months.

Vosne-Romanée cuvée Dame Juliette is a feminine and delicat wine, soft in your mouth. This wine should be drunk with its fruit parfume to accompany an exotic meal in his carly age, or could wait at least 3 years to get more flexibility.

Keeping: 5 to 10 years.

