

Cru bourgeois 2018

Across all the Bordeaux cru bourgeois levels, value and drinkability shone through in a pleasingly consistent tasting of this revitalised category. The line-up also showcased the strengths of the excellent 2018 vintage

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Highly recommended 90-94pts



Château de Malleret, Haut-Médoc CBE

GH 92 VA 91 DT 89

£29.99 House of Townend

Inviting milk chocolate and blackcurrant notes on the nose, scented violets and roses. Rounded, polished tannins, and some slateyness on the finish persists beyond the floral notes. **Drink** 2023-2032 **Alc** 14.5%