



William Kelley has achieved a lot in his short career in wine. In 2015, time spent producing wine in California turned to a permanent writing role at Decanter (alongside pieces written for Noble Rot and The Robb Report). By 2018 he was snapped up by The Wine Advocate to focus on Burgundy and Champagne, as well as the California coast. Multiple writing awards and nominations have followed, and there are two embryonic wines being made in Burgundy.

Now, with news of his additional roles as Deputy Editor and Bordeaux reviewer for The Wine Advocate, following the news of Lisa Perotti-Brown's departure, he has considerable responsibility in reviewing the great regions of France.





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Bourgogne **Aligoté** - 2023

“Partially matured in amphorae, the 2023 Bourgogne Aligoté offers up notes of white flowers and green apples followed by a medium-bodied, tangy and somewhat phenolic palate, in a somewhat fresh, "al dente" style.”

100pt score : 86-88

William Kelley - Wine Advocate



Bourgogne **Chardonnay** - 2023

“Aromas of white flowers and bread dough preface the 2023 Bourgogne Chardonnay, a medium-bodied, delicate and lively wine made in a refreshing.”

100pt score : 86-88

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Bourgogne Les Pellans - 2023

“Pierre Vincent's 2023 Bourgogne Les Pellans offers up aromas of pear, yellow apple and white flowers, followed by a medium-bodied, satiny and fleshy palate that's pure and charming, with a good core of fruit and a precise finish.”

100pt score : 87-89

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Bourgogne Pinot Noir - 2023

“The 2023 Bourgogne Pinot Noir offers up aromas of plums and raspberries, followed by a medium-bodied, lively palate that's framed by soft, powdery tannins.”

100pt score : 86-88

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Auxey-Duresses Les Closeaux - 2023

“The 2023 Auxey-Duresses Les Closeaux is charming, delivering notes of cherries, berries and spices, followed by a medium to full-bodied, ample and fleshy palate that's soft and giving.”

100pt score : 88-90

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Auxey-Duresses Les Hautés - 2023

“The 2023 Auxey-Duresses Les Hautés is a strong performer from this prime hillside site on the border with Meursault. Offering up aromas of pear, crisp green melon and white flowers. It's medium-bodied, satiny and chalky, with a racy, saline profile that plays to the terroir's more ethereal side.”

100pt score : 90-91

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Chassagne-Montrachet **La Platière** - 2023

“Wafting from the glass with notes of honeyed pear, peach and white flowers, it's medium to full-bodied, satiny and seamless, with lovely mid-palate plenitude and a long, saline finish. This is one of the highlights of the range.”

100pt score : 90-92

William Kelley - Wine Advocate



Chassagne-Montrachet Premier Cru **Les Chaumées** - 2023

“The 2023 Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru Les Chaumées wafts from the glass with aromas of honeyed pear, peach and white flowers. Medium to full-bodied, pillow and racy, it exhibits a nice balance between freshness and maturity.”

100pt score : 91-93

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Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru - 2023

“It's the former that seems to set the stylistic tone in this rendition, which offers up pretty aromas of pear, white flowers, hazelnuts and freshly baked bread, followed by a medium to full-bodied, satiny and textural palate that remains controlled, fine-boned and understated, in a pretty, elegant style.”

100pt score : 92-95

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Meursault Les Grands Charrons - 2023

“From a parcel planted in 1929, the 2023 Meursault Les Grands Charrons is another of the high-points in the range, unfurling to reveal aromas of pear and other sweet orchard fruits mingled with hazelnuts and white flowers.”

100pt score : 90-92

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Meursault **Les Crotots** - 2023

“The 2023 Meursault Les Crotots delivers aromas of fresh bread and honeyed peaches, framed by some hints of older oak barrels. Medium to full-bodied, saline and mineral, its delicate palate belies its situation below Poruzots.”

100pt score : 89-91

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Meursault Premier Cru **Les Charmes** - 2023

“From another very old parcel, planted in 1936, Pierre Vincent's 2023 Meursault 1er Cru Charmes offers up aromas of peach and orange oil mingled with hints of honeycomb and white flowers.”

100pt score : 91-93

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Monthelie Premier Cru **Les Duresses** - 2023

“The 2023 Monthélie 1er Cru Les Duresses reveals aromas of plums, orange zest and cassis, followed by a medium to full-bodied and impressively dense palate that's succulent and layered.”

100pt score : 89-91

William Kelley - Wine Advocate



Monthelie **Les Sous-Roches** - 2023

“The 2023 Monthélie Les Sous Roches is lovely, offering up aromas of orange zest, pear, white flowers and freshly baked bread. Medium-bodied, chalky and mineral, it's a fine-boned, elegant white that reflects its terroir.”

100pt score : 89-91

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Puligny-Montrachet - 2023

“Aromas of pear, green apple, white flowers and toasted nuts introduce Pierre Vincent's 2023 Puligny-Montrachet, a medium to full-bodied, satiny and fleshy wine that's pure, ample and seamless, concluding with a delicately saline finish.”

100pt score : 89-91

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Puligny-Montrachet Premier Cru Les Referts - 2023

“Offering up aromas of white peach, citrus oil and pear, framed by hints of bread dough and old oak barrels, the 2023 Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru Réferts is medium to full-bodied rich and layered, with a sweet core of fruit underpinned by chalky structure.”

100pt score : 92-94

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Savigny-les-Beaune Premier Cru **Les Vergelesses** - 2023

“The 2023 Savigny-lès-Beaune 1er Cru Les Vergelesses is one of the ampler, fleshier wines in the range, revealing aromas of pear, confit citrus, white flowers and freshly baked bread. Medium to full-bodied, ample and enveloping, it's pure and glossy, with a charming, sensual profile.”

100pt score : 90-92

William Kelley - Wine Advocate



Volnay Ez **Blanches** - 2023

“This site, with its white soils that hug the tree line, always produces more ethereal, mineral wines, and the 2023 Volnay Ez Blanches reflects that with its pretty bouquet of plums, orange zest, spices and petals, followed by a medium-bodied, suave and precise palate.”

100pt score : 88-90

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Volnay Premier Cru **Le Ronceret** - 2023

“The most youthfully structured red in the cellar is the 2023 Volnay 1er Cru Le Ronceret, a medium to full-bodied, layered and compact wine redolent of cassis, cherries and burning embers.”

100pt score : 90-92

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