S Q I Q G I S DOMÂNE VINCENDEAU LE CARRÉ DU PUITS

Liv Vincendeau came to the Loire in 2000 with the idea of studying winemaking and eventually having her own domain. She moved from Germany and eventually settled in Rochefort sur Loire when she and her husband found an old farmhouse for sale. Quickly she found a small parcel at the top of the town and immediately started the work of converting the vineyard to organic. Most of Liv's parcels are Chenin Blanc, ranging from 10-80 year old vines. There is some Cabernet Franc, Gamay and Grolleau. The soil is mostly schist with mineral deposits scattered all over the vineyard. Liv believes in low-interventionist winemaking using naturally occurring yeast and minimal sulphur.

VINTAGE: 2018

REGION: Loire Valley, France/AOC Anjou

Blanc

GRAPES: Chenin Blanc

YEASTS: Native with pied de cuve

MACERATION: Direct press
FERMENTATION: Barrel, malo

AGED FOR: 1.5 years in barrel before

bottling, 1-2 years in bottle

FILTRATION: Diatomaceous earth FARMING: Biodynamic, dry farmed

ALCOHOL CONTENT: 14.5%

RESIDUAL SUGAR: 2g ADDED SO2: 32ppm VINE AGE: 16 years

SOIL: Schist, volcanic, quartz

TOTAL PRODUCTION: 1000 bottles

VOLUME: 750mL

