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2016 Gevrey Chambertin Marsannay, Burgundy

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Score 89-91 points

The 2016 Gevrey Chambertin suffered acute mildew pressure this vintage, rather than frost. It has a pleasant, quite vivacious bouquet with raspberry coulis, crushed strawberries and subtle graphite aromas that gain intensity with aeration. The palate is medium-bodied with a lush, rounded, iodine-tinged opening, red fruit dovetailing into blue towards the approachable, very pure finish. Very fine but again, this will be too tempting in its youth. (NM)

