

Tsuchinoibuki

Yasuhiro Miwa

1830 Uki, Karatsu-shi

Access: 10 minutes' drive from Karatsu Exit of NISHIKYUSHU EXPWY.



▲ Kiln mark/Potter's mark



Yasuhiro Miwa

- ▶1969 Born in Miyazaki.
- ▶1994-1999 Apprenticed with Nakazato Fumiko at Ayagama.
- ▶1999 Opened [Tsuchi no Ibuki] studio and kiln in Karatsu.

Pursuing a modern aesthetic

Miwa san became an independent potter at the age of 30 after a five year apprenticeship at Ayagama. He specializes in Kuro Karatsu and Chosen Karatsu ware. His goal is to make ware that is modern, simple, and refined.

After years of trial and error, he is now finally, in the last year, starting to feel satisfied with some of his results. Ideas come to him as his hands are moving, at work, but the images in his head are rarely rendered faithfully in the finished piece.

“Pottery is born from the gifts of nature combined with human technique. When you hold a piece in your hand, you can feel the warmth of the clay, it almost breathes. I want you to feel that in my work.”



- Business Hours:
9:00 am - 5:00 pm
- Closed:
Sundays / Closed Irregularly
- Languages:
Japanese
- Gallery:
NO
- Studio Tour:
NO
- Kiln Tour:
NO
- Type of Firing:
Gas
- Pottery Lesson:
NO
- Parking:
 NO NO

