

Pinot Nero `Giorgio Otero` Frecciarossa 2012



Region

The prosperous and industrialised region of Lombardy enjoys a varied geography with the city of Milan at its centre, Bergamo, Como and the Alpine resorts to the north, the fertile Po Valley to the south and Lake Garda to the east. The best known wine producing districts are Valtellina with its strong Nebbiolo based reds, Franciacorta with classic sparkling wines and the Oltrepo Pavese Italy's leading source of fine Pinot Nero.

Producer

Tenuta Frecciarossa has just 20ha of vineyard within the 'Oltrepo Pavese' zone of Lombardy. These are wonderful food wines, almost exclusively enjoyed at the fashionable bars and restaurants of Milan. The zesty, dry Riesling has a bouquet of apricot and peach, whilst the red 'Praelle' blend of Barbera, Bonarda and Uva Rara is packed with red berry fruit softened by barrel age. The elegant dry 'Sillery' is an extraordinary Pinot Nero vinified as a white wine, and the barrique aged Pinot Nero was awarded as best Italian Pinot Nero by Gambero Rosso.

Tasting Notes

Giorgio Otero is a barrique aged Pinot Nero from a careful selection of low yielding mature vines. This rich and elegant red was awarded as best Italian Pinot Noir by the Gambero Rosso guide. Aromas of wild red berries and spice are followed by an expressive palate of cherry, vanilla and orange zest and silky mouthfeel balanced by elegant tannins.

Food

Serve alongside wild mushroom risotto, veal dishes, casseroles of chicken and game birds, and mild cheeses.

Technical Information

Country	Italy	Dry/Sweet Style	Dry
Region	Lombardy	Alcohol Content	14%
Grape(s)	Pinot Noir (100%)	Closure Style	Cork
Type	Red	Organic/Biodynamic	No
Style	Fruity	Allergens	Milk: No Egg: No
Oaked Style	Unoaked	Vegetarian/Vegan	Vegetarian: No Vegan: No
Body Style	Medium bodied		
Sustainable	No		



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