



TOMMASI
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Ca' Florian Amarone della Valpolicella Classico Riserva 2011

DENOMINAZIONE DI ORIGINE CONTROLLATA e GARANTITA

The Ca' Florian Amarone Riserva is made from a selection of the finest grapes from the Ca' Florian cru, one of the Tommasi family's most prestigious vineyards.

TASTING NOTE

A deep ruby red with garnet highlights, on the nose it displays an elegant and very complex bouquet, with notes of ripe red fruits (cherries, blackberries and plums) along with spicy nuances of licorice and bitter cocoa. It is full-bodied and austere on the palate, with rich tannins and a very long, splendidly fresh finish.

GRAPES

Corvina 75%,
Corvinone 20%, Rondinella 5%

ORIGIN

From the Pergola Veronese-trained vines of the prestigious Ca' Florian vineyard, in the hilly area of Pedemonte in the Valpolicella Classica zone.

VINIFICATION and MATURATION

Harvest and manual selection of the grapes in 5-6 kg crates. After further selection, the grapes are left to dry in a well-ventilated loft for 100 days on the traditional racks known as "arele."

The grapes are pressed in January and a slow fermentation then takes place for 30 days in oak vats, using exclusively indigenous yeasts.

Maturation lasts 4 years, for the first year in barriques and for the subsequent 3 years in 35 hl Slavonian oak casks.

Amarone Ca' Florian then ages in bottle for at least a year.

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VINTAGE 2011

The 2011 vintage of Amarone is set to be excellent. Thanks to the right balance between the meteorological conditions and the phenological stages of the vines, the 2011 vintage can be definitely considered positive. The particularly windy weather determined a natural thinning of the vegetative vigor of the vines, especially of the native Valpolicella varieties, having a further reduction in yield per hectare. The clusters appear sparse, with a good size and a thick skin: ideal for the appassimento (drying process). The hand selection of grapes for Amarone began in the first weeks of September. The Valpolicella Classica will remember the 2011 vintage among one of the best.

ALCOHOL

15,5% vol.

SERVING TEMPERATURE

18°C

SERVING SUGGESTIONS

A great "meditation wine" for drinking on its own, its full-bodied yet elegant style also goes well with game, red meats and mature cheeses.

BOTTLE SIZE

750 ml



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