

TASTING PACK WINE #87

TASTING NOTES BY: MASTER SOMMELIER LAURA DEPASQUALE

The wine has a deep ruby red color with hints of orange. There are notes of red and black berries, old leather, dark earth, pebbles, tomato leaf, sweet clove and cinnamon, licorice and espresso beans with a lean texture and persistent finish.

TASTING NOTES BY: F.L.X. TABLE'S MICHALIS KALAMPOUKAS

Ruby color of higher concentration with some browning on the rim. Fruit is desiccated and quite baked, cassis, black cherry, plum and ripe blackberry. Dried roses and Italian spices such as oregano, thyme and a dried leafy character, as well as soy and leather from the extensive aging. Potting soil and clay minerality with a light baking spice note of the used oak it spent time in. On the palate tastes fresher, textured, masculine but well balanced and well integrated.

Sweetness: Dry Tannin: Medium Plus Alcohol: Medium Plus Acid: Medium Plus Oak:

SO... What IS IT?

old world or new? climate? grape? country? place



WINE DETAILS:

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di Montalcino

Alcohol: 14.5 %
Elevage: Aged in Slavonian oak casks for 42 months followed by 6-8 months in bottle
Other: The Lisini family has owned land in Montalcino since the 16th century and Began planting vines in 1930. The estate Prides itself in following a traditional Winemaking approach

NOTES :

If you called this wine Nebbiolo... GOOD JOB! It's always very tough to distinguish Nebbiolo from Sangiovese but Sangiovese's texture is different... It lives more in the Medium Plus range. Brunello di Montalcino tends to have a little more concentration if you were to compare it to Nebbiolo. Brunello is aged for a longer period of time, getting more of the secondary aromas of smoke, clove, leathery character. Compared to Nebbiolo it doesn't have the purple floral notes and tar, and it tends to have more of the dried savory spice character.

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