



Barbera d'Asti Superiore MONTEVENERE

Colour: intense ruby red with intriguing purple reflexes.

Fragrance: ample, with extremely complex boisé (coffee, vanilla, cacao) although with fruity notes definitely present

Taste :of good body, harmonious mid persistent, with pleasant tannins.

Coupling: it goes very well with tasty pasta courses (meat or mushrooms sauces) and main courses of read meat or game. Interesting with blue and matured cheeses.



Vineyard

Surface (Ha): 1,5

Variety of wine planted: Barbera

Year of Planting: 1975 Altitude (m): 250 m a.s.l. Exposure: South South-West

Position: Hilly

Type of Soil: Limestone Slope of the hill: 20-30%

The production process

This wine is obtained from the grapes of an estate vineyard in the village of **Nizza Monferrato** in the region Bricco.

The wine making process used is the traditional one and the maceration with the skins lasted 8 days.

After the alcoholic fermentation the wine has been kept at the ideal temperature of 23 °C to facilitate the malo-lactic fermentation. During the spring after the harvest the wine matures small French oak barrels for about 9 months and in stainless steel for some more months.