



TENUTE SILVIO NARDI



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG

PRODUCER'S STORY

Tenute Silvio Nardi is one of the first wineries in Montalcino. Silvio Nardi bought the estate of Casale del Bosco in 1950 and he was the first producer from outside Montalcino, as well as one of the founding members of the Consorzio del Vino Brunello di Montalcino in 1967.

In the 70's he bought the estate of Manachiara, in the East side of Montalcino.

The estate has always been managed with enthusiasm and dedication by the Nardi family who has pursued their commitment to quality and investment in research while maintaining its farm characteristics.

WHAT HAPPENED IN 2013?

A very rainy winter, with some snowfalls. The first part of spring was marked by abundant rainfalls and rather low temperatures. The vegetative phase started with a slight delay. The entire flowering period was rainy, at times with rather heavy precipitations. The plants grew a lot despite the low temperatures. Very hot temperatures favored a lush vegetative growth, also owing to the substantial accumulation of water during the previous period. Plants developed well but it was necessary to keep alert against diseases. Veraison was late and slow. Summer weather conditions persisted until September. Ripening progressed well, registering a weekly increase of 1-1.5 alcoholic degrees. October was a turning point for the vintage, for heavy rainfall. Anyway, the grapes kept well, thanks to the relevant acid content, and the best grapes achieved a good quality standard.

WHAT DOES IT TASTE LIKE?

Intense ruby red colour with garnet highlights. Clean, sophisticated, intense and complex aroma, rich in evolved overtones, with hints of anise, ripe wild berries and a light touch of vanilla. Warm with supple tannins, great structure, good length and considerable aging capacity.

WHAT TO DRINK IT WITH?

Game meat, rabbit, truffles, seasoned cheeses.

WHAT'S IN IT?

VINTAGE	2013
GRAPE VARIETY	Sangiovese 100%
REGION	Tuscany, Italy
WINEMAKER	Emilia Nardi
ALCOHOL (ABV)	13,5%
STYLE	Classic and elegant
FARMING	Sustainable
AWARD	93 WS, 93 JS, 93 Vinous

