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# "Battista" Passito di Merlot igt 2019

Red - Sweet - 375ML



Wine region Veneto

**Geo Indication** Verona / Veronese / Provincia di Verona IGT

Grape variety Merlot N (100%)

Ingredients

### Viticulture

Organic with certification and sustainable. The production of grapes each vine is very low (around 75 q.ls/ht) for a healthy and perfectly ripe bunches.

## Vinification

Manual harvest with grapes selection. Bunches has to be ripe, small and not too tight to allow the passage of air during the drying period. The grapes dry for 4 months in small boxes to concentrate sugar and flavour, then they are gently hand pressed. First fermentation in still, then ageing in oak.

# Grape

Closure type Agglomerated cork

Annual production 1200 bottles

**ABV: RS:** 14% 22 g/l

# Wine aging

After the fermentation in steel, the wine stays for at least one year in American oak barriques. Then bottled and ages in bottle for at least one year. Perfect with chocolate and berries desserts, as well as with just dark chocolate or alone

### Vintage details

The vineyard is very old: it was planted in 1957.

### **Tasting notes**

Dessert wine, deep purple/red color; at nose is intense, a bouquet of berries, elegant toasted wood, herbs and cocoa; the taste at the beginning is fresh and not overly sweet, with a velvet body and intense complex flavour of chocolate, coffee, vanilla, berries and tobacco.



Food pairingsServingChocolate, Dessert,10°C – 12Hard cheeses

Serving temperature 10°C – 12°C

Label notes: this wine is dedicated to Angelo Battista Gobbi, the grandfather of Anna and Francesca that planted the Merlot in 1957 and the signature comes from a letter that he sent to his wife during the war.

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