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% alcohol

Amarone della Valpolicella Classico "Croce del Gal" BLUE LABEL

Wine made from dried grapes of Corvina Veronese, Corvinone, Rondinella and Croatina selected in our best vineyards, more than 50 years old. The grapes are harvested only by hand in early October, then left to rest in boxes until February, where they continue their slow natural aging, with a weight loss of 40-50%. In this way the concentration of sugars, colors and perfumes increases significantly. To achieve this selection, Amarone "Croce del Gal" black label, is fermented slowly at low temperatures, on part of whole grapes for the production of Recioto "Croce del Gal". The result is a unique Amarone, which captures the best features of Recioto and Amarone, in a poetic fusion of flavors and fragrances. This wine is produced in limited quantities.

Colour intense red.

Fragrance a stunning mix of ripe fruit, intense aromas of black cherries, plums, berries, jam, chocolate and vanilla.

Taste soft, round, intensely fascinating, very long with a strong flavor of ripe fruit and silky tannins.

Vinification the Amarone "Croce del Gal" (black label) is refermented on whole grapes, in part intended for the Recioto "Croce del Gal", with a very long fermentation at low temperatures.

Refining 36 to 48 months in French oak barrels of various capacities.

Advice excellent meditation wine, or for the whole meal. It should preferably be uncorked one hour before serving, at a temperature of 18 °C in large glasses.

Geographical area Sant'Ambrogio di Valpolicella (Verona) in the Gargagnago area, also known as "Borgo dell'Amarone", that is one of the five historical communities of the Valpolicella Classica area.

Grape varieties



Corvina



Corvinone



Rondinella



Croatina

Gastronomical advice



Tasty pasta dishes



Red meats



Roasts, wild game



Seasoned cheese



Dark chocolate

