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D.O.C. Aglianico del Vulture

Number of bottles: about 30.000

Production area: Vulture, the vineyards are located in the municipality of Forenza

Grape: Aglianico 100% organic certificate

Age of the vineyards: 10-30 years

Altitude: 550-500 mt a.s.l.

Breeding system: the fruit head is about 70 cm from the ground with Guyot system leaving about 10/12 buds.

Density: 5,000 plants per hectare.

Harvest: manual selection of the grapes in the field, they are put into crates and brought to the cellar within a few hours, followed by secondary selection carried out by our Selectiv 'Process Winery of Volentieri-Pellenc, the linear destemming system that allows us to eliminate any residue green maintaining the best integrity of the berries and allowing us to use only the berries that reached the perfect phenolic maturity.

Vinification: soft destemming in steel tanks where fermentation takes place with controlled temperature never higher than 28 degrees. Then the wine is drawn off leaving only the fine lees with which it starts aging in second-passage American oak barrels and second-passage French oak tonneau in which the malolactic fermentation takes place. Here they stay for the next 6 \ 12 months, at the end of which period the mass is prepa- red and placed in steel until bottling.

Aging in the bottle: at least 4 months

Alcohol: 13 % Vol.

Potential life: 5/10 years. Organoleptic characteristics: **Color:** ruby red, with purple hues.

Aromas: hints of crisp red fruit, mineral, floral aromas, cherry and pepper with a

background of undergrowth.

Palate: hints of graphite characterized by a light and elegant structure with a marked acidity that invites the drink.

SERVICE

Ideal temperature: 15-18 $^{\circ}$ C

Recommended pairings: perfect with very rich dishes: game, stews and aged cheeses.

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