

2011 Salice Salentino Rosso Riserva

Cantele, Puglia, Italy

Product details

Vintage: 2011 Drinking: 2017

Producer: Cantele Alcohol: Region: Puglia Variety:

Country: Italy

Tasting notes

Grown almost exclusively in Puglia, the Negroamaro grape reaches its apogee in the Salice Salentino appellation. This wine is a classic example of rich, dark berries leading into an earthy, herbal aroma. The palate is dense and tightly packed with firm tannins and crunchy acidity. The blackberry and plum provide a warm, spicy quality which would be a great match for grilled meats, rich pasta dishes and game.

About the producer

Having fallen in love with Puglia, Giovanni Battista Cantele and his wife Teresa Manara decided to move to Salento to establish a winery in the late 1950s. The whole family is now involved in the business and carries on the legacy with the same passion and energy. While the primary focus is on local varieties like Primitivo, Negroamaro and Bombino, the winery also produces pure expressions of international varieties. The aim is to redefine Puglia's wines and promote the unique terroirs of Salento with wine of great intensity, precision and freshness.

