

2016 Brunello di Montalcino

Sesti, Tuscany, Italy

Product details

Vintage:2016Drinking:Producer:SestiAlcohol:Region:TuscanyVariety:

Country: Italy

Tasting notes

Closed and compact leafy nose. Still very youthful and embryonic. Distinct earthiness with a minerally undertow and ripe cherry. Spectacular balance of ripe, sweet cherry, tangy acidity and really fine, long tannins. Amazing focus and energy.

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About the producer

Sesti are one of the most delightfully individual producers in Armit's portfolio. Giuseppe Maria Sesti and his daughter Elisa hold just 13 hectares of vines in a unique micro-climate in southern Montalcino, Sesti produces elegant Sangiovese with a distinct floral note. Self-described as "eclectic by nature", Giuseppe ran a Baroque Opera festival for thirty years while restoring the the medieval the Castello di Argiano, which features on their labels, and developing the vineyards. Having written no fewer than five books on astronomy, Giuseppe considers the influence of the moon indispensable to viticulture and Sesti makes wine according to biodynamic practices.

