

Ca' del Monte Classico DOC



Amarone della Valpolicella



Country: Italy

Region: Veneto

Sub Region: Valpolicella

Appellation/AVA: Amarone della Valpolicella Classico DOC

Estate Grown Wine: Yes

Grape(s): 5% Corvina / 35% Rondinella / 10% Molinara / 10% local varietals

Type: Wine - Red

Bottle Size: 750 ml

Closure: Cork

Alc by Vol(%): 15.5

Viticulture: Practicing Organic

Vine Age: 30-70 years

Winemaking Notes: After the harvest, the grapes are left to dry on trays until February when vinification starts with native yeast. The wine ages in large French and Slovenian oak barrels for a minimum of 18-20 months. The wine is not filtered or fined.

Tasting Notes: Ca' Del Monte's Amarone Della Valpolicella Classico's is a dark angel of sorts. The brilliant garnet red color lures you in, while the ghostly nose works it magic into your heart. Inhale, spices and warm oak will charm you. This is not for the weak; it is bold and elegant with great complexity and character. This full-bodied wine is an adventure that your mind will long for. Like the wine, big and strong foods pair best. Try it with stufato (meat and vegetable stew) or a beef tenderloin with a truffle butter sauce. Or keep it simple with pasta and beans, some bread, and tasty seasoned cheeses.