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2016 Ilaria Accordini Valpolicella Ripasso

Onepiò Winery

Italy – Veneto - Valpolicello Ripasso DOC

ABOUT THE WINERY

Founded in 2009, Onepiò Winery was established by Ilaria Accordini, who grew up in a winemaking family. ‘Piò’ is the local term that wine producers use to describe how many hectares they have – three piòs is one hectare. Because the winery’s large walls are one third of a hectare in size, Ilaria named her business ‘Onepiò’.

Onepiò Winery produces wine from Lugana (30 hectares), Valpolicella Classica (10 hectares) and Bardolino (2 hectares). The Valpolicella Classica vineyards are in Fumane, the oldest original area of Valpolicella, east of Lake Garda and a few kilometers from the center of Verona.

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This is a typical Valpolicella Ripasso, produced from calcareous and clay stony soils. The Lessini hills protect the vineyards from cold fronts from the north, and by Garda Lake from the west, creating ideal temperature control during the winter months.

“Quite a subtle nose here for a Valpolicella Ripasso with fresh berries, earth, spices and citrus all vying to be noticed on the nose. The bright acidity channels flowery notes of dried rose petals through a needle of acidity and a medium-chewy furrow of tannins. Drink now.” – James Suckling

RATINGS

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| Vintage | 2016 |
| Appellation | Valpolicello Ripasso DOC |
| Varietal(s) | 70% Corvina/Corvinoni, 30% Rondinella |
| Aging | Aged 12 months in French oak barrels (225L) and 6 months in inox tanks. |
| Soil Type | Calcerous and clay with stones |
| Size | 12/750ml |
| UPC | 7 84585 00865 0 |