Villa Minelli

Italy - Veneto - Ponzano Veneto (TV)



VENETO PASSITO IGP

100% Igt Istrian Malvasia with sparse clusters

Production area: municipalities of Ponzano Veneto and Villorba
Terrain: sciolto e con una percentuale di scheletro importante, ghiaioso
Harvest: Manual harvest in 10 kg crate done in one go
Vinification: sorting of the grapes in the vineyard where the most spargola is chosen, in the winery they are placed in cane racks and left to dry 4/5 months in a current of air for a natural withering, then they are de-stemmed, crushed and softly pressed, fermentation is partly in stainless steel and partly in wood, after fermentation it is stored in glass containers kept in the dark
Refinement: 12 months in bottle
Color: Amber, very dense, consistent with obvious brightness
Fragrance: Intense and complex with hints of evolved fruitiness: there are clear scents of candied citrus and raisins under spirits, then the wine opens up: barley candy, honey, amaretto cookie with hints of eggnog
Flavor: sweet, which immediately opens on candied fruit and toasted almond and on savory, still fresh notes; then the sip becomes pleasantly warm, enveloping and soft. Wonderful caramel finish on a robust body and creamy base
Alcoholic Grade: 13% vol

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Ownership/Founders Edizione Property / Luciano Benetton
Start of Activity 2006
Vitiviniculture Traditional
Hectares 10
Bottles produced 80.000



Villa Minelli was born in 2006 from the desire to vinify on its own the grapes of the vineyards of three Venetian Villas located in the Treviso villages of Ponzano and Villorba. After the first years of testing the local vines and the "individual terroirs", with 2012 the journey begins. Fresh, immediate wines that are, above all, products of their land, interpreted by a team of young and talented oenologists and agronomists. The great peculiarity of this company is that a part of the vineyards, as well as the cellar, are within a large property where there are warehouses and logistics depots of a large manufacturing company. The other vineyards are also planted in special places, as they are an integral part of the park of three beautiful Venetian Villas. This does not prevent the production of high-quality grapes from which wines are made that are capable of ageing well, such as Tramaviva, and are therefore perfect ambassadors for the Treviso area.