

CASTIGLION DEL BOSCO 2015 BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO RANGE

"A textbook vintage in terms of the climate and the exceptional quality of the grapes." - Cecilia Leoneschi, Winemaker



CAMPO DEL DRAGO DOCG 2015

98 points | James Suckling | 10.19

This is the best Campo del Drago I have ever had. It really shows the unique character of the elevated single vineyard of 1.5 hectares. Black cherries and flowers with hints of sandalwood and tree bark. Always pure and beautiful. Medium to full body. Ultra-fine tannins. Lightly salty character to the cherry and berry flavors. Extremely long and beautiful. Drink after 2021.

- Grapes sourced from highest parcel of Cappana vineyard
- 1.5 hectares at 340 meters above sea level
- Galestro dominant soil
- Stainless steel fermentation, then aged in French oak barrels for 24 months
- Refined in unglazed concrete prior to bottling

The 2015 vintage is a historical year for Brunello di Montalcino that nobody should miss. The wines show impressive precision of vivid fruit, fine tannins and freshness in acidity despite their ripeness and richness which makes them some of the most exciting in years. We admit that it is tempting to say that 2015 is Brunello di Montalcino's best vintage ever, and it may very well be! It certainly compares to other great years of the appellation including 1997, 2006, 2007, and 2010.

- James Suckling | October 2019

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97 points | James Suckling | 10.19

Wonderful aromas of flowers, plums, terracotta and white pepper. Intense, yet ever so subtle. Medium to full body, firm and silky tannins and a long and intense finish Shows excellent length. Drink after 2021.

94 points | The Wine Advocate | 10.20

This pretty wine shows precision and focus with a rich, fruit-forward style. The 2015 Brunello di Montalcino is a shapely Tuscan red with the softness and velvety intensity to pair with a winter meat dish by an open fireplace. The wine glides smoothly over the palate, imparting aromas of black cherry, dried blackberry, plum, toasted spice and crushed flower. This harvest, which came about a week earlier than expected, resulted in a measured and carefully balanced Sangiovese from a generous vintage.

93 points | Wine Spectator | 4.20

Tightly wound, with tart cherry, graphite, earth and cigar box flavors, aligned to an edge of firm tannins. Flirts with rusticity, yet remains tense and smoldering. Should gain more length as it opens.

