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Chianti Classico DOCG Riserva Castello della Paneretta

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The Producer:

This estate has a high percentage of old sangiovese vines, which give the wines an excellent structure. The 22ha of vineyards are on the western edge of the Chianti Classico district and part of a larger estate of about 309ha, most of which is woodland. This wine is developing the growing trend in the region for optimizing the local grapes, rather than using French imports, and then using modern vinification and aging methods to produce the best wine possible.

The Wine:

Grape(s): 90% Sangiovese 10% Canaiolo

Area: From the Castello della Paneretta vineyards between the

villages of Barberino and Castellina.

Vine density: Nearly 3/4 of the Paneretta vineyards are at a density of 5,000

vines per ha.

Training System: Cordone Speronato Harvest: Early October

Vinification: There was 20 day fermentation in stainless steel vats followed

by full malolactic fermentation.

Ageing: Aged for 18 months half in French barriques and half in French

oak barrels of 30hl

Tasting Notes:

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Code: 1442
ABV: 14%
Pack: 6x75cl
Vegan: No
Vegeterian: Yes
Closure: Cork

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