



BAVA Rosetta Malvasia di Castelnuovo Don Bosco 2021



Country

Italy

Alcohol Content

5.5%

Appellation

Malvasia di Castelnuovo Don Bosco DOC

Region

Piemonte

Varietal Blend

100% Nebbiolo

Winemaker

Paolo Bava

HISTORY

Since 1600, the Bava Family has grown grape vines in Cocconato, a village that rises steeply up the hillsides of the Monferrato Astigiano territory, founding their winery there in 1911. Over the past century, six generations have carried on their family winemaking traditions and have expanded their vineyards to include prized estates in Barolo and Nizza. Concentrating on high quality Barbera, Nebbiolo and traditional indigenous varieties, Bava is dedicated to creating pure and delicious expressions of their historic Piedmontese terroir.

VINIFICATION and MATURATION

Produced with 10 to 20-year-old Malvasia grapes grown in the different vineyards in Albugnano, Pino d'Asti and Castelnuovo Don Bosco. Rosetta is the true daughter of Piedmont where, according to tradition and not a trend, sweet wines have a low alcohol content (5.5% vol.), light bubbles and a rich nose. Soils are white limestone with large beds of yellow sand, with sea fossils and surface chalk. Harvest was very healthy, producing dry grapes with good aromatic profile and a potential alcoholic strength. Vinification starts with cold maceration for 2 days before it is put in the wine press: the free-run has strong fragrance and nice color. After being decanted, the must is kept in stainless steel vats at low temperatures until fermentation, which can take place up to a few months after the harvest. Juices do not undergo ageing.

TASTING NOTES

For those who don't know it yet, Rosetta is a pleasant surprise: a lively wine, so sweet and aromatic with intense notes of rose, you will love it right from the start. Cherry red in color with a little crown. Bouquet of wild rose and strawberries, sweet and balanced while the tannins are just slightly perceptible leaving intact the pleasantness of the wine. Natural and lively with a balanced palate.

SERVING SUGGESTIONS

It is ideal for special occasions and to finish a meal with fruit cakes and sweets. Also an incomparable "terrace wine" to enjoy on a pool deck. On the label is the rosa canina (dog rose) that describes its primary aroma better than anything else.

