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GENERAL FACTS AND ORGANOLEPTIC CHARACTERISTICS

Vintage

2010

Denomination

Chianti Riserva DOCG

Region

Tuscany

The Grapes

90% Sangiovese, 7% Canaiolo and 3% Colorino - harvested mid September

The Soil

Lime and Marl with some clay – fertile with good mineral content

Yield per hectar

63 HI

Vinification

After the harvest the grapes are fermented in stainless steel tanks at controlled temperature.

Maceration lasts for 3 weeks.

Ageing

The wine is aged for three years in big wooden barrels. Then it is bottled and aged in bottle before the release.

Nose

The nose of this Chianti Riserva shows some varietal aromas with floral tones, cherry-like fruit and delicate aromas from aging the wine in large wooden barrels.

Taste

An elegant Chianti Riserva with an opening of cherry and red fruit which is woven together by subtle mineral shadings and a delicate herbal touch. In the mid palate there are some warm tobacco tones. The wine is defined by its elegant architecture, a lively acidity and fine tannins.

Serving

The ideal serving temperature is 18°C/64°

The Grati Winery

On the Rooftop of Tuscany

It gets cooler up here in the hills of the Rufina area where the Grati family makes wine. The landscape is more demanding. The Grati estate covers 560 hectares, 160 of which are cultivated with grapevines. The altitudes are high, but the lime marl soils are extremely fertile and the wines that come from this region are elegant and complex. The nature is a challenge and the work strenuous – but it is worth it: Grapes of a remarkable quality grow here. If you enjoy Tuscany, you will have a very special appreciation of Chianti Rufina area and the Grati family's hospitality

