

TENUTA SANT'ANTONIO LILIUM EST AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA RISERVA DOCG 2007



Wine Introduction

Lilium Est, Latin for lily, is Tenuta Sant'Antonio's most intriguing wine due to its depth of aromas and flavours. It truly can be defined as a "meditation" wine. To be drunk with mindfulness and appreciation, exploring the wealth of sensory stimuli it has to offer.

Tasting Notes

Lilium Est is an inky, ruby red. Its aroma is very intense, full and fine. Balsamic and almost iodine like notes can be appreciated immediately, conveyed by the notable alcoholic strength. These then give way to the characteristic aroma of ripe cherries, plums, small woodland berries, followed by spicy aromas of star anise, cinnamon, cardamom, black pepper, vanilla and ginger. Finally, there are tertiary aromas of cocoa, chocolate, tar, toasted hazelnuts and pipe tobacco. On the palate it is dry, warm and soft, well-supported by a notable acidity, richness of flavour and well-rounded tannins. Very persistent and fine balance.

Wine Information

Country:	Italy
Region:	Veneto
Winemaker:	Paolo Castagnedi
Grape:	70% Corvina & Corvinone, 20% Rondinella, 5% Croatina, 5% Oseleta
Alcohol:	16.0%
Total Acidity:	5.51g/L
pH:	3.61
Closure:	Cork and wax
Bottle Size:	75cl
Case Size:	6 Bottles per pack