

ArPePe

Sassella "Nuova Regina" Riserva

Appellation: Valtellina Superiore DOCG, Riserva, Sassella

Region: Lombardia

Type: Red, dry

Varietal: 100% Chiavennasca (Nebbiolo)

Valtellina Superiore Sassella Nuova Regina Riserva shows you how exciting a red wine from the Valtellina can be if you have the good fortune to enjoy it when it has been given the *right* waiting time. Its quintessential simplicity will surprise you for its wonderful cleanliness and freshness in the mouth and, thanks to the versatility of Nebbiolo from the Alps, it brings out its best on tables around the world.

Tasting Notes

Color: Ruby red tending to garnet.

Bouquet: Thin, ethereal, with notes of mint, herbs, ripe red fruit, sweet spices and

balsamics and hints of of leather and tobacco.

Palate: Deep, silky and persistent confirmation of the nose.

Alcohol: 13.0%.

Serving Note: Serve at 15/16° C (59/61° F). We recommend you decant the wine and let it 'breathe' at least two hours before serving in a large Nebbiolo glass.

Food Pairing

Risotto with meat sauce, red-meat stews, pasta with Bolognese, roasted and grilled meat, white-meat stews, game and hard, aged cheeses.

Vineyard Notes

Production Area: Vigna Regina Cru in the Sassella zone, municipality of Sondrio.

Exposure: South/East. **Altitude:** 450/550 m.

Winemaking Notes

Harvest: Early November

Vinification: Traditional with maceration of the pressed fruit.

Maceration: 67 days in wooden vats 50hl.

Aging: 39 months in 50hl wooden barrels, concrete, bottle.





ArPePe began in 1984 when Arturo Pelizzatti Perego, bolstered by the experience gained in his father's and grandfather's firm, decided to create his own winery and label. His aim was to realize the full potential of the unique Valtellina terroir. To do this he reinstated the oldest regional winemaking traditions and focused on producing long-aging Nebbiolo wines.

Today, Isabella, Emanuele and Guido continue their father's work as the fifth generation of winemakers and growers. In just a few years, thanks to careful technological innovations and the choice of a young and passionate team, Arturo's dream has come true: his rare wines are a true expression of terroir and a major point of reference on the national and international wine scene.