# LORENZO NEGRO "S. FRANCESCO" ROERO 2017 RISERVA

# Roero Riserva "S. Francesco"

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# **VINE & VINEYARD**

Nebbiolo grapes of the oldest vines of the farm; the vineyard position is facing south/ south-west, with steep slopes, elevated position and loam soil.

### **HARVEST & WINE-MAKING**

**SERVING TEMPERATURE 14°- 16° C** 

**AGEING** ~ 15 / 20 years

**ALCOHOL CONTENT** ~ 14 / 14,50 % vol.

Harvested manually at the end of October in small boxes; once removed the grape stalks, grapes ferment at a controlled temperature in stainless steel containers for 60 days.

### **RIPENING & REFINING**

The wine ripens in 225l durmast barriques for 12 months and 12 months in 25hl French durmast barrels, and several years in the bottle.

# **ORGANOLEPTIC FEATURES**

Colour: deep ruby-red with a nice brick red hue with ageing. Nose: deep and wide with berries and tobacco hints followed by spicy notes of pepper and vanilla. Mouth: Elegant, austere and persisting taste with remarkable but sweet and velvety tannins, warm and encircling aftertaste.

### **PAIRING**

- / Venison filet
- / Pigeon
- / Duck with apples