



IPO WINES

COUNTRY

Italy

REGION

Tuscany

APPELLATION

Brunello di Montalcino

SOIL TYPE

rock fragments

VARIETAL(S)

0% Merlot

0% Cabernet Sauvignon

0% Sangiovese Grosso

FARMING

Organic

WINEMAKER

Pierre Jean Monnoyer

2014 Casa Raia Bevilò Toscana

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ABOUT THE PRODUCER

It is a story of destiny that is at the origin of the beautiful adventure of Casa Raia.

A meeting between Pierre Jean Monnoyer, French of Corsican and Burgundian origin and an old vineyard belonging to the Temertey family, near the village of Montalcino. The vineyard once belonged to the prestigious Biondi Santi family and has an exceptional terroir; it is said that these terraces saw the first vines of sangiovese grosso in Montalcino

In 2004, a great French winemaker in Montalcino, Lionel Cousin of Azienda Cupano said to Pierre Jean during his harvest: "Making a wine with this terroir of scarnacuoia is a dream. Harvest, ferment, even with a stainless steel tank outside and you'll see, it's easy, you'll make a great wine with this terroir". From 2006-2007, well surrounded by organic winegrower friends in Montalcino, Campi di Fonterenza and Pian dell'Orino, Pierre Jean vinified his first natural Brunello, adopting the old adage: "The vine makes wine".

WINE NOTES

Sangiovese Grosso, Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot planted in 1997. Aged 2 years in barriques, 2 months in bottle. Number of bottles produced: 2,500.

Earthy aromas and flavours of blackberry, raspberry and dark plum with notes of cocoa and herbs. Full bodied, well balanced, soft tannins and a long, rich finish.

