

HB Wine Merchants presents wines from: **Paolo Manzone**



ITALY

Barbaresco 'San Giuliano'

DOCG



Brand Highlights

- 100% Nebbiolo from the Nieve region first produced in 2008
- Estate bottled by Paolo Manzone from the best district from low yields for true varietal character
- San Giuliano is the name of the Cru vineyard in Nieve where the vineyard is located.

The Estate

Paolo Manzone and his wife Luisella own and operate the estate located in Serralunga d'Alba and they own and farm 14 hectares of vineyards. The land and vineyards have been handed down from father to son for generations and the production ranges from Dolcetto d'Alba, to Barbera d'Alba, to Nebbiolo d'Alba to Barolo and even Arneis. The estate consists of hand tended vines with full regard to the traditional methods realizing the quality is made by the vines. Manzone is also a member of The Green Experience which is unique to the Piedmont region centered in the Langhe to protect and enhance biodiversity, sustainability, and to be ecologically respectful. No chemicals are used in the agriculture and priorities are given to agronomic solutions, respect for the soil, use of floral and herbal essences along with respect and honesty towards consumers insured by traceability and external certification. The winery and house is located entirely in the Cru Meriame di Serralunga having belonged to Luisella's family for generations. To be more precise it is located on the Western Slopes between Baudana and Lazzarito Crus in a small amphitheater facing South, South West in front of Castiglione Falletto.

Wine Making

Hand harvested grapes are where the first selections are made and are then carried to the winery in 20Kg bins to insure they arrive fully intact. First produced in 2008 from the cru vineyard at an elevation of 300 meters, it is all stainless steel fermented and then aged in Slavonian oak large ovals (15Hl) for 24 months.

Tasting Notes

Medium to full in body with dense tannins. The fruit is primarily black cherry, with hints of cocoa, walnuts, tar, and dried flowers. The silky texture leads to a chewy mineral finish.

Press

- ◆ 2022 Vintage **93 Points**—James Suckling
- ◆ 2022 Vintage **92 Points**—Wine Enthusiast
- ◆ 2021 Vintage **92 Points**—James Suckling
- ◆ 2020 Vintage **92 Points**—James Suckling
- ◆ 2019 Vintage **92 Points**—James Suckling

Product Specifications

- Pack: 750mL/12 [Cork]
- UPC: 8 75734 002270 1
- SCC: 1 08 75734 00270 8
- Case: 12.2" x 10.2" x 13.2"