



SANDRONE

SIBI ET PAUCIS ALESTE BAROLO 2016

Barolo, Italy

ABOUT SANDRONE

The late Luciano Sandrone was an iconic figure in Barolo, with an extraordinary story of determination. In the bottle, Sandrone's wines straddle the modern and traditional styles of the region: elegant, attractive and easy to appreciate right from their first years in bottle, but with no less power and structure over time than traditional Barolos.

THE WINE

ALESTE - a combination of the names of Luciano Sandrone's grandchildren ALEssia and STEfano -- is the new name for Luciano's first wine, the Barolo Cannubi Boschis, which garnered Luciano his early acclaim with the international trade and press. This single-vineyard wine is typically dense and concentrated but shows incredible harmony and balance.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

VARIETY: 100% Nebbiolo

VINEYARD: One of Barolo's great cru sites, Cannubi Boschis sits in a south-facing bowl on calcareous clay soils, delivering profound aromatic complexity and soft tannins.

WINEMAKING: Lot by lot vinification; native yeast fermentation in open-top steel tanks over 28 to 30 days.

VINTAGE: A late, unhurried season defined by a cool spring and unsettled summer, redeemed by a strong September. Harvest ran through late October, parcel by parcel.

AGING: 24 months in 500-liter French oak casks

ALC. BY VOL.: 14.5%

PRESS

98

Vinous

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Wine Enthusiast

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Jeb Dunnuck

97

James Suckling

"The 2016 Barolo Le Vigne Sibi et Paucis is a terrific choice for drinking now and over the next decade-plus. Just starting to show its first signs of aromatic complexity, the 2016 is such a joy. Deep red-toned fruit, blood orange, pomegranate, spice, new leather, cedar and sweet pipe tobacco all meld together in the glass. Dynamic and expansive, with striking mid-palate depth and resonance, the 2016 is a delight. Floral and citrus overtones linger on the brilliant finish."

-Antonio Galloni, Vinous



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PACKAGE SPECS

PACK: 3x750ml C

CLOSURE: Cork

PALLET: 10x9 (90)

CASE DM: 12.2x10.16x3.35 in

CASE WEIGHT: 9.37 lb

BTL DEPTH: 3 in

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