

TASTING NOTES



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AZIENDA VINICOLA DESTRO ASPIDE ETNA ROSSO DOC, 2009

BACKGROUND

THE ESTATE OF THE DESTRO PASTIZZARO FAMILY IS FOUND IN ONE OF THE MOST HISTORICAL AREAS OF EASTERN SICILY AMONG THE DARK TEXTURES OF THE ANCIENT LAVA, IN THE MIDDLE OF THE CHESNUT WOODS OF THE PRESTIGIOUS DOC AREA OF ETNA. WITH ORIGINS DATING BACK TO 1897 THE CURRENT DAY DESTRO ESTATE SPANS 20 ACRES OF ANCIENT VOLCANIC SOIL ON THE NORTH FACE OF AN EVER-ACTIVE MOUNT ETNA WHOM LOCALS AFFECTIONATELY REFER TO AS THE 'FRIENDLY GIANT'. SINCE 2002 ANTONINO DESTRO AND HIS SON AND DAUGHTER HAVE APPROACHED THEIR CRAFT WITH DEDICATION AND RESPECT FOR THE LAND THAT SURROUNDS THEM, THEIR VINEYARDS APPROPRIATELY DEVOTED TO AUTOCHTHONOUS GRAPES SUCH AS NERELLO MASCALESE, NERELLO CAPPUCCIO, CARRICANTE AND CATARRATTO.

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COLOUR: RUBY RED WITH YOUNG PURPLISH TONES.

AROMA: CLEAR FRUITY AROMA REMINISCENT OF RIPE MARASCA CHERRIES.

PALATE: A GOOD PERSONALITY; WITH A FRESH, ROUNDED AND PLEASANT TASTE.



VINTAGE: 2009

WINERY: AZIENDA VINICOLA DESTRO
([HTTP://WWW.DESTROVINI.COM](http://www.destrovini.com))

REGION: SICILY

AVAILABILITY: AVAILABLE NOW IN
CONSIGNMENT

CASE QUANTITY: 6 BOTTLES PER CASE

BOTTLE SIZE: 750 ML

COMPOSITION: NERELLO MASCALESE
(100%)