Brunello di Montalcino, Sugarille (Gaja)

Pieve Santa Restituta

PRODUCER
Pieve Santa Restituta

REGION
Italy

WHERE
Montalcino, Tuscany

CLASSIFICATION
Brunello di Montalcino DOCG

GRAPES
Sangiovese

VINTAGE AND SIZE
2004 · Magnum, 1 x 1.5L OWC

About Pieve Santa Restituta

Pieve Santa Restituta is an estate in Montalcino, named after an ancient parish church that stands among its vineyards. Since the mid-1990s it has been owned by Angelo Gaja, the leading Barbaresco producer, as his family's estate in Tuscany.

Gaja brought the single-vineyard thinking of Piedmont to Montalcino, and for many years the estate produced two separate Brunellos from individual sites, Rennina and Sugarille. The wines are made entirely from Sangiovese and combine the power of Brunello with polish and precision.

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Sugarille is a single-vineyard Brunello di Montalcino from Gaja's Pieve Santa Restituta estate, made entirely from Sangiovese. It is the more structured of the estate's single-vineyard Brunellos, with dark cherry, earthy and spicy notes and firm tannins. It needs ten years or more to soften and develops in bottle for two decades or longer.

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