

Heart and Continuity.

ALESTE is the natural continuity of Luciano's first wine, the Barolo Cannubi Boschis. Giving all the experience, know-how, patience and heart of his numerous grape harvests, Luciano pays tribute, with boldness and sensibility, to the next family generation. ALESTE is in fact the combination of the names of his grandchildren ALEssia and STEfano.



ALESTE

BAROLO

ALESTE BAROLO 2013

Our family's flagship wine, rededicated

ALESTE 2013 is the result of a classic vintage.

Its complex and expressive aromas open with every swirl of the glass, giving off perfumes of oriental spices, oak, black fruits. As is typical for cooler vintages, floral tones of roses, violets and hibiscus dominate the nose, supplemented by aromas of cigar box and cedar, tobacco, black licorice and ground white pepper.

On the palate, the sense of volume is palpable, dominated by dark cherries and black raspberries. This wine tickles the senses. There is a humming, vibrating intensity to the wine, best evidenced in the thrillingly fresh acidity and powerful tannins.

ALESTE 2013 will be a remarkably long-lived Barolo, it is currently in a backward, closed stage, and needs patience. This wine is integral and complete but still quite young. It should reach its best drinking window between 12 to 15 years old.

- 100 % Nebbiolo
- Spontaneous fermentation from indigenous yeasts
- Maceration and alcoholic fermentation in open steel tanks
- Malolactic fermentation and ageing in French oak barrels of 500 liters
- Bottle aged for 18 months before release
- 1985 – 2012: Barolo Cannubi Boschis
- 2013 and beyond: ALESTE Barolo
- Vineyard in the village of Barolo: Cannubi Boschis
- Alcohol: 14,5 %



Experience, Reasoning and Heart.

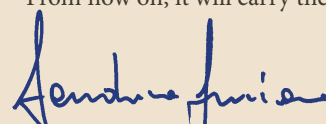


“Everything I have lived for
and experienced has
brought me here today”

Deep is the knowledge of the territory in which my family and I have lived, and deep is the respect we hold for it, as well as the pride in being a part of it. From the very beginning I had always wanted to show the uniqueness and distinctiveness of the Cannubi hill by way of a separate vinification. This first vineyard situated at 250mt above sea level and perfectly oriented to the south/southeast benefits from an ideal exposure. To the optimal soil and weather conditions, prevailing harvest after harvest, have brought forth a wine that has drawn international attention since its first release in the mid-1980s.

Cannubi Boschis is our flagship wine, a Barolo recognized the world over, that we have always nourished with immense respect. Nothing will ever change that. This is the reason why I am rededicating this special wine to my grandchildren Alessia and Stefano.

From now on, it will carry their names: ALESTE.


Luciano Sandrone

50+ harvests, 40 years of wine making,
3 varietals: Nebbiolo, Barbera and Dolcetto.
2 territories together as Langhe and Roero
tell the story of our 5 red wines, which
are expressions of our intuitions, careful
observations and continuous thinking.

We have always been driven by a single
overriding and thriving ambition: to discover
new nuances in each harvest. Expressing
them in our wines is what we want and love
doing! Each grape gathering has its own
harmony, and each wine is a story in itself.