



★ SANCT VALENTIN ★

ALTO ADIGE DOC

LAGREIN RISERVA SANCT VALENTIN 2023

The Lagrein grape variety has found optimal conditions for absolute top quality in the vineyards around Bolzano. The grapes for the Sanct Valentin Lagrein grow on a hillside with southeast exposure that forms part of the Wangger Farm in Leitach, at the entrance to the Eisacktal Valley. The Sanct Valentin Lagrein ages for twelve months in small oak barrels and then for a further 10 months in stainless steel for improved balance. With a robust character it develops immense power on the palate, with nicely integrated acidity. A vigorous wine with excellent ageing potential.



blackish red



complex aromas of
coffee, cocoa and
wild berries



mouth-filling,
powerful and
full-bodied

VARIETY:

Lagrein

AGE:

10 to 20 years

AREA OF CULTIVATION:

Sites: Leitach and Gries (260-300m)

Exposure: Southeast

Soil: Moraine debris and sandy alluvial soil

Training System: 50% Pergola, 50% Guyot

HARVEST:

early October; harvest and selection of grapes by hand.

VINIFICATION:

Fermentation in stainless steel tanks, followed by malolactic fermentation and aging in barrique-tonneau. Assemblage takes place after almost a year. The wine is then aged for another 10 months in stainless-steel tanks.

YIELD:

45 hl/ha

ANALYTICAL DATA:

Alcohol Content: 14,5%

Acidity: 5.25 gr/ltr

SERVING TEMPERATURE:

16-18°

PAIRING RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Sanct Valentin Lagrein is best served as an accompaniment to intense meat dishes such as loin of ox; it also wonderful with the whole gamut of game dishes as well as with aged cheeses.

STORAGE/POTENTIAL:

10 years and more

AWARDS:

2019: Vinibuoni d'Italia: Corona; James Suckling: 91 Points

2018: James Suckling: 91 Points

2017: James Suckling: 90 Points



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