



1215 Wine Bar & Coffee Lab

Cirelli, Vino Orange 2023

Varietal:

Trebbiano

Region:

Abruzzo, Italy

Farming:

Certified Organic

Soil Type:

Chalky Limestone, Clay

Fermentation:

Stainless Steel

Dry/Sweet:

Dry

Body:

2/5

Acid:

3/5

Tannin:

2/5

ABOUT THE WINE

With the sea only a few kilometers away from Francesco Cirelli's vineyards you'll find rolling hills lush with olive groves, national parks and even woodlands all surrounding his cherished property and home. As with many of the producers we admire, you could describe him as a wine romantic:

"When I make wine, I imagine I am an alchemist preparing a magic potion. An antidote to misery, a balm for healing old wounds, a drink that makes us forgive but not forget. An existential declaration, a message of unconditional love. Everything produced on our farm is done so respecting the sustainable natural cycles of our olive groves, vineyards, organic horticultural crop fields and animal breeding. Crop rotation, a period of rest for the soil, fertilization and livestock grazing are only some of the vital steps in the process of producing wine (in terracotta wine jars), olive oil, organically grown fruit and vegetables and meat of the finest quality." -Francesco Cirelli

Perhaps that idyllic connection to the land stems in part from his beautiful almost utopian-like environment, but it is also passed down, as he noted his grandfather's connection to the land being deeply influential on him. "These memories also bring to mind my paternal grandfather Francesco: he loved to find refuge in the vineyards, the place that most offered him peace and inner well-being. Today, just as in the past, the countryside has become a safe haven where I come to find genuine affection, solid values, and serenity."

Deeply held convictions on the value of working the land, the serenity and peace it can bring the individual, the treatment of the land in accordance and respect of nature, and the responsibility of intervening as minimally as possible so that the drinker can experience the fruits of his labors in their most natural form are guiding principles for Francesco and for us. We love love love this skin contact Trebbiano. It's both fresh and refreshing, while also maintaining a complex character and backbone.

Pretty in orange: nectarine, Meyer lemon, nutty, floral and slightly herbal.

