



CASTELLO DI
FONTERUTOLI

ALTACHIARA 2020

Altachiara is the mythological sword of Charlemagne carried by the emperors of the Holy Roman Empire at their coronation as a symbol of temporal power. Among them was Otto III of Saxony, who came to Fonterutoli in 998 to establish the jurisdiction of the churches of Arezzo, Fiesole and Siena. Like the imperial sword, this wine of noble origin expresses itself with temperament, power and elegance.

Appellation:	Toscana IGT
Winery:	Castello di Fonterutoli
Winery location:	Loc. Fonterutoli - Castellina in Chianti (SI)
Grape varieties:	85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot
Alcohol:	13,50% vol.
Total acidity:	5,52‰
Vineyards location:	Between 220 and 450 m. (722 - 1,480 ft) a.s.l.
Soil:	Very rich in texture, mainly limestone, varied and complex texture made of limestone and marl
Vineyards age:	18 - 25 years
Training system:	Spur cordon-training and Guyot
Nr. of vines per hectare:	4,500 - 6,500
Harvest:	Hand picked from September 16th
Fermentation temperature:	26 - 28° C
Period of maceration:	18 days
Ageing:	18 months in french oak barrels (225 l.)
Finissage:	4 months in concrete tanks
Bottling:	June 2024
Available on the market:	September 2024
Production:	6,000 bottles
Formats:	375 ml - 750 ml - 1,5 lt - 3 lt
Cases:	Wooden case
First vintage:	2020
Ageing potential:	Over 20 years
Key descriptors:	Intense and fragrant, notes of dark fruits and Mediterranean scrub. Powerful, enveloping and elegant after taste




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