

## BERTANI

## AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO DOCG 2013

Amarone della Valpolicella Classico DOCG, Italy



The current-release 2013 vintage features a nose of dried cherries combined with spice and smoke, adding a savoury element. The tannins are still tight but fine-grained, and balanced by the firm, linear acidity. There's weight and breadth on the palate due to the immense fruit concentration, with a persistent finish. Elegant and poised. – M.C.K. A super, dense core of mixed dried berries, together with notes of caramel and a mix of mild Indian spices, from coriander to mace. Fullbodied with a liqueur-like bead of fruit that's riding abundant but well-integrated tannins through the long, long finish. Excellent and so fresh. Delicious to drink now, or in your centenary year! – J.S. This classic Amarone exudes a robust essence of dark fruits and earthy undertones, reminiscent of a rich, oak forest and worn leather. On the palate, it unveils a compelling story of ripe cherries, plums, and a hint of spice, culminating in a velvety finish that lingers like a timeless song... –J.P. A well-meshed red, with savory notes of forest floor, iron and smoke underscoring dried cherry and cranberry fruit, red licorice and dried flower flavors. Features fine, taut tannins that firm the spiced finish. With 10 years of age already, this is still bright and focused, with many years of enjoyment ahead.... -A.N.