



# TOMMASI

(Above) The vineyards surrounding Tommasi's 'Prunea' Estate in the heart of the Valpolicella Classico zone



## Tommasi Rafaël Valpolicella Classico Superiore 2017

Veneto, Italy

### ESTATE

Tommasi has historically been and continues to be a standard bearer of the Amarone appellation. The Tommasi family owns vineyards on the most prestigious hills of the Valpolicella region, and they work only with grapes they grow, an important quality decision and reflection of their deep connection to the Valpolicella soil. Through its commitment to quality and tradition, Tommasi has established itself as one of the principal ambassadors of Amarone and the entire Valpolicella region in the world.

### WINE

This Valpolicella comes from the historical Tommasi family vineyard of the same name. Careful cultivation of the vineyard, a rigorous selection of grapes and meticulous vinification all contribute to the production of this fresh, elegant Valpolicella.

### VINEYARD

Perfectly situated on one of the region's most famous hills, Monte Masua, it produces what are often considered the best grapes for production of Valpolicella Classico Superiore.

### WINEMAKING

Variety: 50% Corvina, 15% Corvinone, 30% Rondinella, 5% Oseleta

Fermentation: Stainless steel

Aging: 12 months / 65 hl Slavonian oak casks

Alcohol: 12.5%



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"Dried redcurrants and strawberries meet fragrant tea leaves and mooncake character. Medium body with a beautiful sweet-and-sour character and a tangy finish with a touch of dried fruit."

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