

CONCERTO 2011

The "Concerto" was born in 1981, in the wake of a viticulture aware of untapped potential, which was experiencing new forms of vine training and new blends also including non-indigenous grape varieties. It was one of the forerunners of the phenomenon of the so-called "Super Tuscans" and also one of the major players. With this special edition we celebrate not only the thirtieth anniversary of the "Concerto" but above all what was for us the beginning of a growth path that led the Castello di Fonterutoli to become one of the most acclaimed Italian wineries worldwide.

Appellation:	Toscana IGT
Winery:	Castello di Fonterutoli
Winery location:	Loc. Fonterutoli - Commune of Castellina in Chianti (SI)
Grape varieties:	80% Sangiovese, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon
Alcohol:	13,60% vol.
Vineyards location:	Fonterutoli: 450 m a.s.l. Siepi: 260 m a.s.l.
Soil:	Rocky - coming from decomposed limestone and sandstone
Vineyards age:	13 - 28 years
Training system:	Spur cordon-training and Guyot
Nr. of vines per hectare:	5,600 - 7,500
Harvest:	Hand picked starting from September 20th
Fermentation temperature:	26 - 28° C
Period of maceration:	14 - 18 days
Ageing:	18 months in small french oak barrels (225 lt / 70% new)
Bottling:	February 2014
Available on the market:	Dicember 2014
Production:	330 6-bottles wooden box (750 ml), 330 single wooden case (1,5 lt)
First vintage:	1981
Ageing potential:	Over 20 years
Key descriptors:	Rich and juicy, notes of underbrush and black berries, powerful and fine
Food pairing:	Spiced dishes, stewed game, aged cheeses



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