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# Rafaèl Valpolicella Classico Superiore 2018

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 TASTING NOTE

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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"A beautiful valpo with delicious berry, light sandalwood and chocolate. Flavor throughout. Such balance, intensity and length with a creamy texture. A wine you want to drink. Lovely now"

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