## MONTECARIANO valpolicella ripasso



Notes of smoke, earth, peppercorn, bitter blackberry, rhubarb and currant. Fleshy on the palate with fine tannins. Dry dark fruit on the finish with hints of minerality.

## Color: Red

Grapes: 65% Corvina and Corvinone, 25% Rondinella, Molinara, and Croatina, 10% Oseleta and Pelara Soil: Limestone, fossil sand and clay Age of Vines: 40-70 Years old Altitude: 180 m Yield: 30 HI/Ha Farming practices: organic Fermentation: Hand-harvesting followed by 4 months of drying, losing 40% of berry weight,

months of drying, losing 40% of berry weight, then long fermentation and maceration for about 2 months on the skins with frequent delestage and remontage. Second fermentation takes place in stainless steel tanks for 10 days with contact on the dried Recioto skins.

**Aging:** 24 months in large Slavonian oak **Production:** 4,800 bottles per year

