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Owner: Cantele Family
Wine Maker: Gianni Cantele
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NEGROAMARO

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Type: Rosè
Region: Apulia
Appellation: IGT
Grape Varietal: 100% Negroamaro

Vineyard Location: Guagnano

Orientation: North-south

Altitude: 200 ft

Vine training: Alberello salentino

Soil: Calcareous

Vinification: Skin maceration for 12-18 hours. Total alcoholic fermentation at controlled temperature. No malolactic fermentation.

Aging Process: Six months in stainless steel.

Alcohol Content: 12.5%

Suggested serving temperature: 44-48 F

Production: 30,000 bottles

Tasting notes: Light cherry red color. Intense and persistent fruity aromas with hints of strawberry and cherry candy. Dry and fresh on the palate, clean and pleasant. Perfect for seafood and fish soup.

Other Information: Towards the end of the 1970's, Giovanni Battista Cantele and his wife Teresa Manara decided to consolidate 30 years of experience in the wine world of Northern Italy and to bring their expertise to the region of Puglia, and Salento in particular, where they saw tremendous potential. Thus the winery Cantele was born and during the 1980's the two sons, Augusto and Domenico took over from their parents. From the beginning, the objective was to develop the potential of the local and historic varieties of Negroamaro and Primitivo and to work with the highly esteemed and adaptable varieties of Chardonnay, Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon. To this end, the winery chose to work with the local winegrowers with a total of about 250 hectares of high quality vines. The construction of the new winery in Guagnano and the entry of Gianni, Paolo, Umberto and Luisa-third generation of the Cantele family-to the business has given a fresh new impulse to the company. Cantele is dedicated to scrupulous care of the vineyards, use of the very latest technology and the constant search for the production of wines of the very highest quality.

