



*Agricola Vallecamonica*

## *Passito dell'Annunciata*

*It was Moscatello today Passito, is lost in time.  
When I understood the roots was possible for me.  
The time has come true, the emotion is up to you.*

**PRODUCTION AREA:** The grapes come from company's vineyards terraced places between 600 and 800 meters above sea level in the municipality of Piancogno adjacent to the Convent of the Holy Annunciata. Area known since the fifteenth century for the production of quality wines.

**TIPOLOGY:** IGT Valcamonica Passito

**BLEND:** 100% cross Manzoni, this grape has been obtained by the agronomist Luigi Manzoni, professor at the Agricultural Institute of Conegliano Veneto between the years 30'-35'. Born from the crossing between Riesling and Pinot Blanc.

**FORM OF BREEDING AND SOIL:** Low Guyot (about 40cm height floor), 7000 vines per hectare grassy lawn, average slope of 30%. Sands surface drainage, infiltration of clay, deep presence of sedimentary rocks rich in marine fossils.

**ALCOHOL:** 13,5-14% VOL.

**SUGAR:** 100-120 grams liter.

**VINIFICATION:** Harvesting is done by hand in small boxes of 5 kg, the harvest lasts for a month in stages and vary depending on the vintage, it is important to have a nearly perfect state of health of the grapes. The drying without forcing (no fans or dehumidifiers) in the fruit, has a duration of up to 60/80 days later after the pneumatic pressing, the must is decanted sugar-rich cold, this allows you to choose the best part for the fermentation alcohol that is carried out by yeasts in oak barrels of 225 liters. The duration is slow with temperature regulated by the action of the natural insulating timber after 8/10 months the wine stable almost naturally is bottled where it rests further three months before release.

**PRODUCTION:** Approximately 700/1000 50cl bottles depending on the year.

**FOOD AND WINE PAIRING:** Overall, the vintage year and variable aging, there are no limits to the imagination, good only for meditation, even without matching.

