



## AZIENDA AGRICOLA PIERO BUSO

### Barbera d'Alba 'San Stefanetto'

The family estate of Piero Busso is a leading name in Barbaresco for its dedication in capturing the natural elegance of Nebbiolo from Neive. Piero Busso's father planted in 1948 by hand the Nebbiolo vines that today wrap around the family's house and cellar in cru 'Albesani.' Now Piero's son, Pierguido, and daughter, Emanuela, work side by side with their father and mother, Lucia, in crafting the family's soulful wines. Indeed, of the top estates in Barbaresco, it is Busso that makes true wines of the soil, each carefully selected, organically raised cru telling a generations-deep story of why this part of Piedmont is so enchanted.

**WINERY:** Azienda Agricola Piero Busso

**WINEMAKERS:** Piero Busso (father) and Pierguido Busso (son)

**ESTABLISHED:** 1953

**REGION:** ITALY • Piedmont • Neive

**APPELLATION:** Barbera d'Alba DOC

**BLEND:** 100% Barbera d'Alba

**VINEYARDS:** Selection of estate fruit from vineyards in Treiso, at 1,200 feet in altitude, facing southeast. Soils are very rocky, rich in limestone.

**AGE OF VINES:** 25 to 50 years

**WINEMAKING:** Hand-harvested. Fermented on indigenous yeasts in stainless steel tank. Aged in large oak cask ("botti") and tonneaux for 14 months; aged in bottle for six months.

**TASTING IMPRESSIONS:** Aromas of wildflowers, black cherry, warm spice, crushed stones. Medium-bodied and plush, good concentration

**PAIRING SUGGESTIONS:** With appetizers or garlicky, tomato-based pasta sauces. grilled meats



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