

## BUGLIONI

# BUGLIONI IL BUGIARDO VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO SUPERIORE DOC RIPASSO 2016

#### **ABOUT THE WINERY**

In 1993, the Buglioni family purchased an old farmhouse surrounded by vineyards in San Pietro in Cariano, in the heart of the Valpolicella Classico region. After selling grapes to the other famous local wineries in Valpolicella for a few years, Buglioni hired a young winemaker and decided to start making his own wines in 2000.

#### **ABOUT THE WINE**

"If this is not Amarone, then it is a lying wine!" This was the exclamation of an experienced sommelier, when he tasted Buglioni's first Ripasso wine in 2000, an incident which gave birth to the name of their wine, "Il Bugiardo," or "the liar."

#### **KEY SELLING POINTS**

- Located in the heart of Valpolicella Classico, Buglioni's goal is to produce quality wine that respect the local winemaking traditions with a distinctive character
- Estate vineyards (114 acres) of vines planted to the traditional indigenous varieties of Corvina, Corvinone, Rondinella, Molinara, Oseleta, Croatina and Garganega
- Led by a young team and the charismatic Mariano Buglioni, the wines respect the creativity and exuberance of the vintner.

#### **TECHNICAL DETAILS**

Varietal Composition: 60% Corvina, 20% Corvinone, 10% Rondinella, 5% Croatina, 5% Oseleta

Aging: 12 months in oak, followed by 6 months in bottle

Alcohol: 14.6% | RS: 3.0 g/L | TA: 5.3 g/L



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"This leads with an explosion of dark cherries and vanilla. Then come spices and earth. Dense and complex, but showing polish and form. Full-bodied, very structured and long on the finish. Drink from 2023."

- James Suckling, April 2019

