



CECCHI

2012 Chianti Classico Riserva

The Cecchi Chianti Classico Riserva di Famiglia is the wine most representative of the Cecchi family philosophy of winemaking: showcase the purity and quality of the Sangiovese grape. The Riserva di Famiglia is produced only during vintages deemed to meet the highest standards. When this occurs, the grapes are harvested and sorted by hand and each lot is fermented separately before being blended and then aged for 18 months before release.

- Appellation:** Chianti Classico DOCG
- Varietals:** 90% Sangiovese, 10% other red varietals
- Color:** Intense ruby red
- Aroma:** Deep and brooding aromas of red fruits, cedar and warm spices
- Taste:** A traditional style, the wine has an elegant structure with refined flavors of plum, raspberry and spice
- Fermentation:** Fermented with the skins in small, stainless steel tanks for 18 days at a controlled temperature of 80°F
- Aging:** The wine ages for 14 months in oak casks before bottling, then bottle ages for another 4 months before release

Features and Benefits:

- Cecchi is one of the most prominent and well-known producers of Chianti, Chianti Classico, and Chianti Classico Riserva. With over 120 years of winemaking history, the Cecchi family's experience gives them great advantage over their competitors in crafting a serious, quality Riserva with authenticity and a real sense of place
- The grapes for the Riserva di Famiglia are all estate grown, produced, aged and bottled. The level of quality is paramount as this is the wine most representative of the Cecchi family.
- The Riserva di Famiglia is a small production wine. Considering the amount of labor and level of quality that goes into making this wine, it is an incredible value to the consumer.



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Case: 12 pack