
Fiano, Carlomagno

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Discover the incredible taste of the Amalfi coast when you toast with this Fiano Carlomagno from House of Townend. We tried this wine and had to have it - a rare opportunity to try a delicious estate Fiano from a great producer - whose lower yields and skilled team have made a wonderfully aromatic and intense dry white with a core of ripe tropical fruit and delicate hint of lime zest. Fiano Carlomagno was included in The Times Top 100 Wines For Summer July 2020, with Jane MacQuitty writing "If you want that holiday vibe without the air travel, take a trip to Italy's beautiful Amalfi Coast with a brilliant, tangy, minerally fiano, ...Southern Italy's Fiano grape can and does produce some brilliant, tangy, minerally whites, and this gets my vote. Harvested at night, and fermented and aged in stainless steel, this intense, complex, citrus-led white is great with dishes such as mussels or spaghetti alle vongole". Buy this beautiful, award-winning wine today and see why Fiano Carlomagno is truly deserving of its accolades.

Tasting Notes:

Straw yellow shot with green; very full and intensely fruity on the nose with exotic fruit such as melon and banana, featuring hints of citrus reminiscent of grapefruit. On the palate it is very well balanced, with a good acidity backbone and length.



Specification	
Vinification	The harvest is at night in order to preserve the freshness of the fruit, and in boxes of 5 kilos to store the integrity of the product. The pressing follows a cold maceration of the skins for 6-8 hours to extract as much of the flavour from the grape. Followed by soft pressing, static clarification of the must and fermentation. The fermentation process lasts 10-12 days at a temperature of 16-17°C. After fermentation, aging of the lees in stainless steel for 3 months.
ABV	13%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink Now
Country	Italy
Region	Puglia
Type	White Wine
Grapes	Fiano
Genres	Vegan, Vegetarian
Vintage	2021
Style	Dry
Body	Elegant, refined and supple
Producer	Stefano Girelli - The Wine People
Producer Overview	The Wine People is a new company established in 2009, the brainchild of an Italian, a Frenchman, and a Dutchman. Stefano Girelli, Philippe Marx and Peter Kosten have combined their skill and experience to bring affordable good value wines from across Italy, with the help of renowned Italian winemaker Stefano Chioccioli who makes all the wines.
Closure Type	Screw Cap
Food Matches	A superb accompaniment to shellfish, fish and seafood. Pair also with white meat and cheese.
Press Comments	Silver - International Wine & Spirit Competition 2017. 4 Stars - Harpers Wine Stars, 2018. The Times, July 2020, Top 100 Wines for Summer. Brian Elliott, Mid Week Wines, February 2021 "Drinking this soft and gently textured white from Southern Italy was likened by one commentator to getting an Italian "holiday vibe without the air travel". While I cannot guarantee that effect, I can verify the high quality of the wine. Its minty, melon and pear flavours have an almost riesling-like acidity that works right through into the long finish where it contrasts attractively with the wine's rich, savoury edges."