

## Comments of a Bon Vivant:

*Summer vibes, playful and approachable. Nice choice with any red sauce pasta dish, pizza, and barbecued burger. A pleasant surprise with a dark chocolate based dessert.*

## Casale Del Giglio Cesanese Lazio Rosso IGT



Casale del Giglio was founded in 1967 by Dino Santarelli. The vineyards are located in a fertile area 50 km south of Rome, a region that had no grape growing or winemaking traditions. When Dino's son Antonio joined the family business in the mid 80's, father and son were able to develop a unique, experimental project with the help of young enologist Paolo Tiefenthaler, working with ancient local grape varieties such as Bellone and Cesanese, but also adding international varieties like Sauvignon, Petit Manseng, and Syrah. The carefully crafted wines are wonderful expressions of the terroir, combining history and innovation.



Vibe: *Summer*  
Emotions/Occasions:  
*Playful*  
*Friends*

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Region	Lazio
Classification	Lazio Rosso IGT
Vintage	2021
Grapes	100% Cesanese
Soil Composition	Clay
Vineyard Training	Guyot
Density/Yield	70 hl/ha
Fermentation	Spontaneous temperature controlled fermentation for approximately 20 days, followed by 10-12 days of maceration
Alcohol	13.4 %
Residual Sugar	3.53 g/l
PH	3.7 g/l
TA	5.28 g/l
Free SO <sup>2</sup>	42 mg/l
Total SO <sup>2</sup>	97 mg/l

### SALES FACTS:

- *Cesanese is a historic and ancient grape variety dating back to the Roman empire.*
- *A good alternative to Sangiovese*
- *The result of the congenial partnership between the Santarelli family and visionary oenologist Paolo Tiefenthaler*

### VITICULTURE

The vineyards are located 50 km south of Rome and carefully cultivated under the influence of the Mediterranean to oceanic climate: Hot temperatures in summer and mild, quite rainy winter months combined with a persistent sea-breeze and diurnal temperatures of hot days and cool nights that contributes to a fast ripening process. The more than advantageous climate complemented by the rich, sandy and partly volcanic soils create optimal conditions for viticulture.