



- **Country:** Italy
- **Region:** Sicily
- **Subregion:** Marsala and Salemi
- **Vintage:** 2020
- **Colour:** Red
- **Grape Variety:** Nero d'Avola
- **ABV:** 13%
- **Bottle Size:** 75cl
- **Closure:** Screwcap
- **Style:** Rustic and fruity
- **Drink With:** Lamb chops done on the barbecue or pasta with a meat sauce

NERO D'AVOLA TERRE SICILANE - LA MURA

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La Mura Nero d'Avola is a tremendously characterful red made from organically grown Nero d'Avola grapes on the sun-drenched island of Sicily. It is soft, very easy drinking, packed with red berry fruit flavours and just the thing to wash down a plate of pasta or some lamb chops. Organic certified and suitable for vegans.

After hand harvesting of the grapes, the bunches were de-stemmed and gently crushed before fermentation was started with selected yeast strains. Malolactic fermentation was completed in stainless steel tanks but no oak was used for ageing, thus retaining plenty of ripe, red fruit flavours.

WHY WE LIKE THIS WINE

It is often the simplest things in life that give us the most pleasure. This is certainly true here. An organic wine at a very affordable price, fruit-driven with no harsh tannins to mask the freshness. It's simple ideal when paired with a pasta dish or you can even drink it by itself and slightly chilled too in the summertime.

ABOUT THE GROWER

Casa Girelli is a negotiant company based in Trento in Northern Italy. Founded in the latter part of the nineteenth century, they are now recognised as being one of the foremost broking companies for sourcing Italian wines from many regions but principally for the wines of the north west.

We have been working closely with them to develop several ranges of wines that offer above all else, high quality, but due to their incredible buying power, the wines always remain at very sensible prices.

Utmost attention to detail and constant research are key to achieving reliable superior quality in winemaking, with no compromise." This is their philosophy which is applied to all stages of winemaking, from the vineyards to the cellar itself. The team of oenotechnicians are constantly engaged in research in order to ensure superior quality wines.

These are wines that are very much worth searching out and each one is an excellent example of just what each style should offer

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