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2012

TAGETO
COSTA TOSCANA ROSSO

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POINTS

Black currant, cherry and cedar aromas and flavors herald this medium-bodied red. Balanced and moderately long, with a kick of tannins. Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot and Cabernet Franc. Drink now through 2018. 4,200 cases made."

Wine Spectator online

Donna Olimpia 1898 was an idea of Guido Folonari, heir to one of the most historical Italian wine families, who decided to develop, in 2001 an ambitious wine project. In a short time, he found three wineries in the most prestigious production areas between Piedmont and Tuscany, which emerged in the Italian wine scenario.

The estate bears the name "Donna Olimpia 1898". In 1898, Gherardo della Gherardesca gave the name of his wife, Olimpia Alliata, Lady of Biserno, to the estate to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. The estate covers an area of about 60 hectares and is located in the DOC Bolgheri. It stretches over a land strip that runs from Km 167.8 of the Aurelia road inward for about 1.2 km. The morphology of the terrain is flat and is made out of 40 hectares of vineyards and some arable land.

A philosophy based on excellence, on product quality, on the constant search for self-improvement, and on products typical to an identifiable territory. Well aware that the earth has its own needs and pace ... that have to be respected.