



## Poderi dal Nespoli Background

Owner: Mondodelvino Group / Ravaioli family Country: Italy / Emilia-Romagna / Bidente

Founded: 1929

**Description:** Poderi dal Nespoli is situated in the Bidente Valley of Emilia-Romagna in central Italy. Currently run by the fourth generation of the Ravaioli family, in partnership with the Mondodelvino Group, the estate boasts state-of-the-art wine-making facilities, vineyards and cellars. The winery offers an extensive array of beautifully made wines from both native Romagnole and international varietals and enjoys distribution in 30 countries worldwide.

## Wine Notes - 2018 Poderi Dal Nespoli Borgo Dei Guidi

Poderi Dal Nespoli's Borgo Dei Guidi is Emilia-Romagna's version of a Super Tuscan, blending Sangiovese with Merlot and partially dried Cabernet Sauvignon. Named for a small Romagnolo village near the estate, the wine is one of Nespoli's benchmark bottlings. The grapes are estate-grown and come from both the Bidente Valley and the Colline Romangnole.

The Sangiovese offers fruity aromas and a touch of freshness, while the Cabernet Sauvignon grapes provide concentrated fruit flavors, a tannic backbone and depth of flavor. Together, the two varietals produce a deep ruby wine with a long and intense nose of red and black fruits, blackberry jam and licorice. The mouthfeel is full and round, with concentrated berry and chocolate flavors and elegant, well-integrated tannins. This highly decorated wine pairs exceptionally well with rich stews, grilled meats and aged cheeses.

## **Technical Specifications**

**Varietal Composition:** 70% Sangiovese, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon

Vineyard Region: Bidente Valley and Colline Romagnole, Mastalso and Santodeno

vineyards

**Production Volume:** 3,500cs/yr on average

Vineyard Characteristics: Argilo-clay soils, south-east exposure, 20 year-old vines on average

Winemaking / Vinification: Machine- and hand-harvested, 100% destemmed grapes. Select

veast.

Fermented 8-10 days in stainless steel, aged in new and 2<sup>nd</sup> use French oak barriques for 11 months for depth of flavor and complexity. Crossflow and microfiltration. Static fining

**Residual Sugar:** 8.0 g/L **Acidity:** 5.9 g/L **Alcohol / Volume:** 14.5%