

“The Wine Advocate” – Robert Parker by Antonio Galloni Fiorenzo Nada

2005 Fiorenzo Nada Barbaresco Rombone

Fiorenzo Nada 

A Nebbiolo Dry Red Table wine from
Rombone, Treiso, Barbaresco, Piedmont, Italy

Wine Advocate # 179
Oct 2008

Antonio Galloni

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Drink: 2009 -
2018

\$90 (90)

The 2005 Barbaresco Rombone is a massive wine loaded with tons of primary fruit. Notes of menthol, pine and spices develop as this large-scaled, sweeping Barbaresco opens in the glass. The oak is beautifully integrated in this vintage. Readers will be tempted to taste this soft, accessible Barbaresco in its youth, but the wine is sure to improve with further cellaring. This is a gem in the making. Anticipated maturity: 2009-2018.

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2005 Fiorenzo Nada Langhe Rosso Seifile

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A Proprietary Blend Dry Red Table wine from
Langhe, Piedmont, Italy

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Drink: 2009 -
2020

\$90 (90)

The 2005 Seifile unites elegance, structure and power with inimitable style. This blend of old-vine Barbera and Nebbiolo from the Rombone vineyard shimmers on the palate with bright perfumed fruit that covers much of the wine's significant structure. There is clarity, precision and freshness to spare here. Generally I am not the biggest fan of the Piedmontese blends, but this pure-breed wine is simply awesome. Seifile is hard to find, even in Italy, but it is well worth the effort in 2005. Anticipated maturity: 2009-2020.

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A Nebbiolo Dry Red Table wine from
Manzola, Treiso, Barbaresco, Piedmont, Italy

| Source | Reviewer | Rating | Maturity | Current (Release) Cost |
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| Wine Advocate # 185 Oct 2009 | Antonio Galloni | 91 | Drink: 2012 - 2022 | \$67 (67) |

The 2005 Barbaresco Manzola is a linear, focused offering laced with high-toned red fruits, flowers, minerals and spices. It remains rather compact, yet energetic, and could very well merit a higher score if it fills out a bit. For now, the 2005 Manzola looks like it needs at least a few more years in bottle before it comes around. Anticipated maturity: 2012-2022.

This is a wonderful set of wines from Bruno Nada, a small artisan producer based in Treiso who embodies all of the finest qualities of the Piedmontese grower spirit.

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