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- Monica Lamer (August, 2013)



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## Il Grigio Chianti Classico Riserva 2009

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### 2011 San Felice Contrada di San Felice

The 2011 Contrada di San Felice is mostly Merlot with Sangiovese and Cabernet Sauvignon. Siena Province is home to famously feuding contrade (or neighborhoods) that duel out their competitive instincts in lavish competitions such as the Palio horse race in Siena and the Bravio delle Botti (neighborhood teams race to roll huge oak casks uphill to the main square of Montepulciano). This cheerful red was designed as an easy quaffer fit for those unruly celebrations. Bright cherry, blackberry and chocolate describe the bouquet and the wine is soft and rich on the finish. Anticipated maturity: 2013-2017.

Importer: Premium Brands, Forest Hills, NY; tel. (718) 263-4094

- Monica Lerner (August, 2013)

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### 2010 San Felice Vigorello Vino da Tavola

Made for the first time in 1968 at the start of the super-Tuscan movement, the 2010 Vigorello is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and a smaller component of Petit Verdot. It's a beautiful and extremely elegant wine that bursts from the glass with pristine tones of black fruit, licorice, rosea and dried lavender, Mediterranean herb and a sweet hint of vanilla. The balance and complexity are outstanding and both point to the high levels achieved in 2010. It will develop more complexity in time. Anticipated maturity: 2014-2025.

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# CHIANTI CLASSICO 2010

**Wine Spectator**

14 Diverse Tuscan Values

SCORE **90**

*Ripe and smooth, featuring a spine of acidity and tannins that keeps the cherry, tobacco and underbrush flavors focused, with a firm finish and fine length. Best from 2015 through 2022.*

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**#22** SCORE **91**

Antonio Galloni  
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**90**

*Freshly cut flowers, sweet red berries, spices and mint are some of the many nuances in the 2010 Chianti Classico San Felice. Medium in body, the 2010 impresses for its inner perfume and fabulous overall balance. I especially like the clarity of the finish. This is another delicious 2010. Drinking window: 2013—2018*

