

# LunaGaia 'Chiaromontesi' Nero d'Avola Sicilia DOP

## THE FACTS



**COUNTRY:** Italy  
**REGION:** Sicily  
**APPELLATION:** Terre Siciliane IGT  
**CEPAGE:** 100% Nero d'Avola  
**WINEMAKING:** Hand harvested, Spontaneous fermentation, Stainless Steel.  
**ALCOHOL BY VOLUME:** 13.5%  
**AGING:** 6 months in bottle

## THE STORY

Born from a partnership between Cantina Orsogna cooperative and BioGaia, a biodynamic Sicilian farmer collective. LunaGaia labels are a visual homage to L'Opera dei Pupi Siciliana (the Sicilian Puppet Opera), a Sicilian storytelling tradition & UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage. The wines tell the story of the Italian Epic poem "Orlando Furioso" by Ludovico Ariosto. **PHILOSOPHY:** Biodynamic farming is more than a means to cultivate land - it is a life philosophy of integration and cooperation. LunaGaia focuses on varietals indigenous to Sicily, made from a well suited terroir and grown with respect to the environment thanks to Biodynamic farming. A true expression of Sicilian Tradition, from the grapes to packaging reflecting the color and adornments of Sicilian heritage.

## THE ADJECTIVES

**OVERALL:** Fresh & Food-Friendly  
**AROMAS / FLAVORS:** Red Fruits & All Spice  
**MOUTHFEEL:** Full & Approachable

## THE SELLING POINTS

Velvety Vibrant Story of Sicily  
**SUSTAINABILITY:** Certified Biodynamic, Certified Organic, Natural Fermentation  
**PAIRINGS:** Fried Eggplant, Grilled Cheese, Pizza



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