



BARGETTO WINERY

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2013 LA VITA, Santa Cruz County, Regan Estate Vyds.

Our History

At BARGETTO WINERY, we have been dedicated to producing fine Santa Cruz Mountain wines for over 80 years. As one of California's most historic wineries, and the oldest winery of the Santa Cruz Mountains, the third generation of Bargettos continues to pursue winemaking excellence and innovation.

The Estate Vineyard

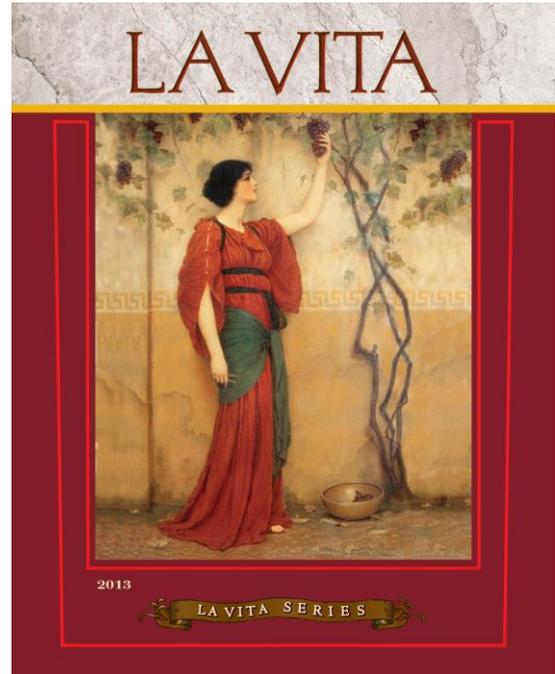
BARGETTO WINERY'S Regan Estate Vineyard is located on a southwest slope in the Santa Cruz Mountains, overlooking the majestic Monterey Bay. This cool climate vineyard allows the grapes to develop rich and complex flavors over an exceptionally long growing season. These distinct and age-worthy wines from Regan Vineyards reflect this unique location. We are committed to sustainable winegrowing practices such as: cover crops, biodiesel, solar electricity and biological pest control.

Winemaker's Notes

Each year, our signature La Vita blend is comprised of the same three grapes: Dolcetto, Nebbiolo, and Refosco, but the percentage of each is ever-changing. In 2013, the Dolcetto was back on top, making up 41% of the blend. The Dolcetto is full bodied, rich, ripe, and full of flavor. Black cherries, baking spices, and black pepper highlight the flavor profile. At 33% of the blend, Refosco is another powerful wine that brings notes of blackberry, currant, and plum to the table. These two heavy hitters are balanced nicely with the bright acidity and classic cranberry notes of Nebbiolo, making up 26% of the blend. This blend is greater than the sum of its parts, with each component adding layers of nuance and complexity. Aged a lengthy 30 months in fine oak barrels, this wine will continue to get better as its rich tannins soften, and its bottle bouquet develops.

Food pairings include: lamb, polenta dish with wild venison, and creamy Italian dishes such as hearty lasagna or eggplant parmesan.

Suggested Retail: \$60.00



Technical Stats

Composition	41% Refosco 33% Refosco 26% Nebbiolo
Appellation	Santa Cruz Mountains
Vineyard	100% Regan Estate Vyds. (SCM)
Harvest Date(s)	Oct. 19th – Nov. 7th, 2012
Harvest Sugar	23.4 Brix (average)
Alcohol Content	13.7% by volume
Wine Total Acidity	6.23 g/L
Wine pH	3.66 pH
Malo-lactic	Partial
Oak Barrel Aging	30 months in 33% new American,
Bottling Date	April 26 th , 2016
Cases Produced	360 cases