## Primitivo Puglia IGP

## PIETRE DEL SOLE

## Still Red Wine

A wine well-suited for roasted red meats, grilled dishes, pasta with meat sauces, medium-aged cheeses, and legume soups.

Primitivo / IGP Puglia:

ORIGIN: Puglia, in the provinces of Taranto and Brindisi.

**VINE VARIETY: 100% Primitivo** 

**SOIL:** Medium-textured located around the 40° parallel north.

**GRAPE CULTIVATION:** Espalier

**HARVEST:** Mechanical

**VINIFICATION:** Crushing and de-stemming of the grapes with skin maceration, followed by temperature-controlled fermentation at 25°C using selected yeasts.

**AGING:** Aged in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks. The wine undergoes numerous analytical checks during aging to ensure its integrity.

**BOTTLING:** Cold sterile

**ALCOHOL CONTENT: 13%vol** 

**COLOUR:** Ruby red

NOSE: Intense aromas of Mediterranean herbs, with a spicy finish

reminiscent of dill.

PALATE: Balanced and persistent, with pronounced herbal notes.

INTERNATIONAL PAIRINGS: Lentil soup (Egypt) - Kofte kebabs (Turkey)

**SERVING TEMPERATURE:** 16 - 18°C

**CURIOSITY:** The first reliable historical references to the spread of the Primitivo grape date back to the late 1700s, thanks to Don Francesco Filippo Indellicati, who noticed a grape variety in his vineyards that ripened earlier than others, producing sweet, flavorful black grapes that could be harvested as early as late August.

