ASTORIA

"CARANTO" PINOT NOIR I.G.T.







✓ PRODUCTION AREA

Grown on the flat and hilly (at 150-200 m. above sea level) areas of the North-Eastern regions of Italy.

Vineyards: 4,000/5,500 grapevines per hectare [average age: 10 - 15 years].

Average production: 1.5/2 kg per grapevine (80/90 q. per hectare).

Grape variety: Pinot Nero. Growing technique: Sylvoz.

The grapes are harvested by hand in September and are de-stemmed and crushed. The crushed grapes undergo fermentation /maceration, which lasts 5/6 days at a temperature of 24/25° C; then the wine is drawn from the marc and undergoes alcoholic and malolactic fermentation. Then it is cleared and stabilised, and is allowed to age a couple of months after bottling.

✓ ORGANOLEPTIC CHARACTERISTICS

Colour: ruby but not very dark.

Bouquet:intense, pleasant, reminding of strawberry and raspberry.

Taste: harmonic, savoury, with body without excesses.

Alcohol content, % vol.	11.00 – 12.00
Sugars, g/l	8.00 – 9.00
Total acidity, g/l	4.50 - 5.50

✓ SERVING TEMPERATURE

12 - 14° C.

✓ PRESERVATION

Keep in a dry and cool place and far from light and heat sources.

✓ As INDICATED IN THE WINE LIST "Caranto" Pinot Noir I.G.T. - Astoria