

# GIULIO FERRARI RISERVA DEL FONDATORE 2016

**FERRARI**  
TRENTO

GOLDEN POWER

*Outstanding beyond all expectations. Pure Chardonnay, fascinating, satisfying, evocative. A great Riserva, an icon par excellence of Italian sparkling wine, the Giulio Ferrari is capable of meeting the challenge of time.*

## VINTAGE 2016

The 2016 vintage, challenging in many respects, was marked by a harvest carried out under favorable weather conditions. Grapes of excellent quality benefited from a mild winter during the budding phase. May was characterized by frequent rainfall and continuous vegetative growth. This combination required careful and thoughtful vineyard management, which was expertly handled by our team of agronomists. In the second half of August, the return of stable weather allowed the grapes to reach full ripeness, maintaining good levels of acidity. The harvest began on August 29, later than the seasonal average.

## TASTING NOTES

### APPEARANCE

It is a charming golden hue that reveals itself in the glass with its vigorous intensity.

### BOUQUET

On the nose, aromas of white fruit emerge first, ranging from tabacchiera peach to pear, immediately followed by the essence of fresh citrus, including grapefruit and bergamot, finishing with a hint of hazelnut. As the glass aerates over time, the complexity unfolds with notes of brioche and toasted bread coming to the fore.

### FLAVOUR

On the palate, it reveals its remarkable intensity, beginning with a generous initial impact. It then gradually gives way to a finish where elegant spiciness emerges, characterized by nuances of the finest saffron, which eventually yield to a smoky touch and hints of tobacco.

### DENOMINATION

Trentodoc

### DOSAGE

Extra Brut

### VARIETIES

Obtained from selected Chardonnay grapes.

### AGEING

A minimum of 93 months on the lees.

### VINIFICATION

Steel

### ALCOHOL CONTENT

12,5% Vol

### AVAILABLE FORMATS

0,75L; 1,5L

### SERVING TEMPERATURE

8/10°C

### RECOMMENDED GLASS

Grand Cru Tulip glass.

### FIRST VINTAGE PRODUCED

1972

### INGREDIENTS & DISPOSAL OF COMPONENTS

100 ml: E= 307 KJ/74 Kcal



RISERVE LINE