

PLUS!*Diamond Series Selection***Attilio Ghisolfi****2007 Barolo Bussia Bricco Visette**

Piedmont, Italy

Just 200 Cases Imported

Piedmont, Italy encompasses the northwestern region of the country and is renowned for its prize-winning wines, especially the highly praised Barolos that are recognized and appreciated all over the world. This month's special *Diamond Series Plus!* wine comes from the southern corner of Piedmont, from the Attilio Ghisolfi Winery with Nebbiolo vineyards planted over 50 years ago. The Ghisolfi family estate is known for producing some of the best Barolo wines in the country! Attilio Ghisolfi Winery's roots date back to 1885 when Carlo Ghisolfi bought a small 9-acre property and started growing the traditional local grape varieties of Nebbiolo, Barbera, and Freisa. Carlo's son and grandson expanded the property over the years until they had accumulated 21 acres of neighboring lands, and sold the prize-worthy grapes to neighboring wineries. In 1987, Carlo's great grandson Gianmarco Ghisolfi came into the family business and, with his father Attilio, decided to start producing wines under their own label. The first vintage under the Attilio Ghisolfi label was in 1988 and it included a *Barolo Bussia Bricco Visette* (100% Nebbiolo grapes), named after the hill of Carlo's original 9 acres. This wine is now the Ghisolfi family's most prestigious label, and it has made their winery known all over the country and the world. Attilio Ghisolfi is one of the great Italian Barolo producers and it is an extremely rare opportunity to enjoy their critically acclaimed wines.

ACCOLADES & TASTING NOTES

95 POINTS from *Wine Spectator!* Attilio Ghisolfi's 2007 Barolo Bussia Bricco Visette is comprised of 100% Nebbiolo grapes, and named after Carlo Ghisolfi's original 9-acre hillside planted over 125 years ago. This rich, majestic wine is Attilio Ghisolfi's best label, characterized by its deep garnet red color, an elegant nose of truffles, violets and spices, and luscious, intense flavors of cherry and raspberry fruit. Ultra-sophisticated with a serious "wow-factor," the 2007 Barolo Bussia Bricco Visette is Attilio Ghisolfi's finest release to date and shows why Nebbiolo has earned its reputation as the King of Piedmont. Barolos are 100% Nebbiolo, and considered by many to be the finest wines of Italy! Try pairing the 2007 Barolo Bussia Bricco Visette with pot roast, heavy pastas, and strong cheeses. Aged 30 months in oak, 10 months in bottle. 100% Nebbiolo. Enjoy now until 2017.

Winery Direct: \$80.00 /bottle

Gold Medal Wine Store price:**2-Bottle Members: \$68.00****4-Bottle/ Multi-Series Members: \$64.00**

*2 bottle min. order.

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