



# TENUTA DI ARCENO®

## 2011 CHIANTI CLASSICO RISERVA



*For centuries, the finest Chianti has been produced from within the Chianti Classico region in the hills of Tuscany. Our estate, Tenuta di Arceno, lies among these hills and is home to this special Chianti Classico wine. Lovingly caring for our vines, listening to the message of the soil, and respecting the expression of the fruit, allows us to create wines that reflect the special character unique to Tenuta di Arceno.*

### TASTING NOTES

2011 was one of the hottest years in memory...maybe one of the most powerful years in CC history. If you like power in your Chianti Classico, here it is. There is an explosion of high tone raspberries, intense violets and an earthy licorice spice. The palate is full with supple flavors of ripe plums, black cherry liquor, vanilla, and chocolate with a long orange peel finish. This is a powerful wine from a hot year but it miraculously retains the great acid and structure that has made Sangiovese famous. This wine overwhelms the senses and will age beautifully.

### FOOD PAIRINGS

Steak Florentine, Osso Buco, Chicken Cacciatore

### SERVE

Decant one hour before enjoying with family, friends and food.

### WINE STATISTICS

COMPOSITION: 90% Sangiovese, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon

ALCOHOL: 14.5%

AGING: French oak - 12 months

TOTAL ACIDITY: 5.55 g/l

PH: 3.44