CANALICCHIO DI SOPRA®

BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO
RISERVA

1999



Robert Parker
WINE ADVOCATE

94/100

The 1999 Brunello di Montalcino Riserva made a terrific showing thanks to its all-embracing personality. There's a real sense of abundance and generosity here that starts with the wine's richly textured mouthfeel and darkly concentrated appearance. The aromas have certainly moved into the third and final stage of their evolution with smoked bacon and saddle bag but there's enough pressed fruit and crushed flower to keep it from feeling one-dimensional. The mouthfeel is lean and elegant with surprising focus and clarity. Decant the wine three to four hours prior to serving. Drink: 2014-2028.

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