



**TERRA NERA®**  
TUSCANY



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A sight beyond belief

The vineyard with a view of the sea is tucked away within the Maremma region of Southern Tuscany. Nested amongst a wonderful forested and hilly landscape, nature manifests itself in a confession of love called Terra Nera.

The **exceptional shale soil** makes this spot one of a kind as this quality can only be found in the Maremma. In conjunction with the concentration of rare animal and plant species and the proximity to the Tyrrhenian Sea, Terra Nera experiences an exceptional micro-climate which is unique in the world.

A wide-angle photograph of a vineyard at sunset. The sky is filled with dramatic, colorful clouds in shades of orange, yellow, and blue. In the foreground, the dark silhouettes of cypress trees stand on the left, while rows of grapevines are visible on the right. The background shows rolling hills and distant mountains under the setting sun.

# TERRA NERA

Secrets from the depths

Top-class grapes only grow on grapevines with roots nourished by a **high-quality, living soil fauna**. This vital base promises a perfect balance of minerals which later spread in the aroma of the wine.

With this knowledge, the **Etruscans** had a significant impact on the Romans who inhabited the area around Terra Nera of over 3000 years ago. Their insights into the cultivation of wine are legendary. In medieval writings, Terra Nera is also referred to as the “**Island of Rarities**” because of its numerous special features.

“The connoisseur does not drink wine but tastes its secrets.”

Salvador Dalí

# TERRA NERA wine ...

The purest embodiment of Tuscan natural spirits

The Terra Nera grapes look as striking as their surroundings. They are smaller and darker than commercially available grapes. In taste they are smoky, extremely pleasant, and high polyphenolic.

Terra Nera red wines are characterized by a **deep, complex, and sustainable body**, which dances delicately on the tongue, sparking a natural firework of flavours in the nose and palate to leave a long-lasting impression.

Only the rediscovery and the integration of this unique Terra Nera area from eight different units (about 100 hectares) makes it possible to revive wines in the style of the Super Tuscans.



Terra Nera on  
Central German Television – ZDF:  
[www.TerraNera.wine/en/zdf-short-clip](http://www.TerraNera.wine/en/zdf-short-clip)



**93**

**ANDRAEMO 2019**

**Falstaff:** Spicy aromas, with autumn leaves, forest floor, light and dark berries, rosehip, ethereal notes, rosemary and pine needles. Juicy on the palate with elegant freshness and power, mealy tannins, fruity and savoury notes, intense and long finish. Definite ageing potential for many years to come.

**92**

**ANDRAEMO 2021**

**Falstaff:** Initially smoky aromas, then notes of dark fruits of the forest, Amarena cherry, elderberry, dark nougat, chocolate and a touch of herbal savouriness. Full-bodied, intense and powerful on the palate, with fine-grained tannins, the fruit and savouriness go hand in hand with each other, good length. Perfect as a food wine, but just as enjoyable as a soloist.

**92+**

**ANDRAEMO 2022**

**Falstaff:** Dark fruit on the attack, plums, blackberries, dark cherries, pipe tobacco, earthy hints of beet, dark nougat chocolate. Lots of juicy fruit on the palate, wild berries, plums, lively acidity, ripe and fine-grained tannins, dense and with certain ageing potential.



Year:  
Grapes:

**2019, 2021, 2022**  
**Syrah,**  
Cabernet, Sangiovese  
14.5 %; 15 % (2021)  
30.0; 31.4 (2021)  
5.3  
Residual Sugar (g/l):  
<1.0  
Soil:  
black shale  
Aging:  
wooden Barrel





The **AURONERA** inspires with its wonderfully coordinated grape varieties, led by fresh Sangiovese and crowned by Cabernet and Syrah. The aging in barrique creates a harmonious balance. It is characterized by its true Tuscan aroma, deep and typical for the region and its persistent body.

**94+**

#### AURONERA 2016

**Falstaff:** Fine and concentrated aroma, sour cherries, rose hips, sloe, juniper, cassis, ethereal notes, dried herbs, milk chocolate. Powerful, yet fresh and elegant on the palate, juicy fruit, a tightly woven and fine-grained tannin framework provides structure, tension and potential for further years, dense and long.

**94+**

#### AURONERA 2015

**Falstaff:** Finely nuanced and multi-layered aroma, sour cherries, plums, light and dark wild berries, pomegranate, bouquet garni, mint, thyme, dark chocolate. Juicy on the palate with a fine-grained tannin structure, powerful and elegant at the same time, fresh fruit, with mineral flavours that continue to fan out towards the finish, good acidity, full-bodied, dense and not yet at the end of its journey.



## 94 & WINE OF THE YEAR

### AURONERA 2019

**Süddeutsche Zeitung:** Connoisseurs and experts from the SZ voted our wine red wine of the year. Its intense aroma is characterized by ripe dark cherries, cassis, campfire embers, noble leather and a cool herbal touch. On the palate, the wine convinces with cherry aromas and mineral depth. Fine smoke and chocolate notes round off the composition. In combination with silky, polished tannins, it seemingly floats across the palate.

**93+**

### AURONERA 2021

**Falstaff:** On the nose, fruit notes paired with savouriness, dark cherries, wild berries, plums, dried herbs, thyme, sage, bay leaf and dark chocolate. Powerful body, with warming alcohol, balanced by fresh fruit and dense extract, ethereal, fine-grained tannins and lively, well-integrated acidity give structure and length to the soft and supple components.

**93+**

### AURONERA 2018

**Falstaff:** Wood-influenced aroma, tobacco, undergrowth, dark caramel, nougat chocolate, ripe wild berries, sloe, allspice, bay leaf, sage. Muscular, powerful wine on the palate with good extracted density and fine-mealy tannins that harbour certain ageing potential for years to come, supple mid-palate with subtle ripe fruit and seamlessly integrated acidity, minerality and still youthful.

### WINE OF THE YEAR

#### Süddeutsche Zeitung

**94**



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### WINE ENTHUSIAST: 93

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### AURONERA:

#### Classic

Year: 2015, 2016  
Grapes: 70 % Sangiovese, Cabernet, Syrah  
Vol.: 14 %  
Extract (g/l): 33.5 (2015); 32.3 (2016)  
Acid (g/l): 5.5 (2015); 5.0 (2016)  
Residual Sugar (g/l): <1.0  
Soil: black shale  
Aging: wooden Barrel

### AURONERA:

#### Modern

Year: 2018, 2019, 2021  
Grapes: 80 % Cabernet, Sangiovese, Syrah  
Vol.: 15 %; 14.5 % (2019)  
Extract (g/l): 36.3 (2018); 33.0 (2019)  
Acid (g/l): 5.3 (2018); 5.4 (2019)  
Residual Sugar (g/l): <1.0  
Soil: black shale  
Aging: wooden Barrel



## GOLDMEDAL BERLIN

This is pure Tuscany: the full-bodied SCORPUS convinces every lover of the Italian art of wine as a pure Sangiovese. It is an expressive wine with cherry and herbal notes that goes well with a hearty meal.

The Berliner Wine Trophy awarded SCORPUS with the gold medal.

**94+**

**SCORPUS 2019**

**Falstaff:** Smoke on the nose, dark chocolate, After Eight, roasted hazelnut, clove, cherry, plum, berries, lilac berry juice, dried herbs. Powerful and fresh on the palate, fine silky tannins and well-integrated acidity give structure to the juicy fruit, soft, supple base, versatile at the table.

**93+**

**SCORPUS 2016**

**Falstaff:** Concentrated and dense aromas of sour cherry, plum, sultana, tobacco, clove, and dark chocolate. The full-bodied palate is powerful with a soft texture, fine-grained tannins, ripe acidity, fruity and spicy, it reveals its greatness at the table, with good length.

**Goldmedal**

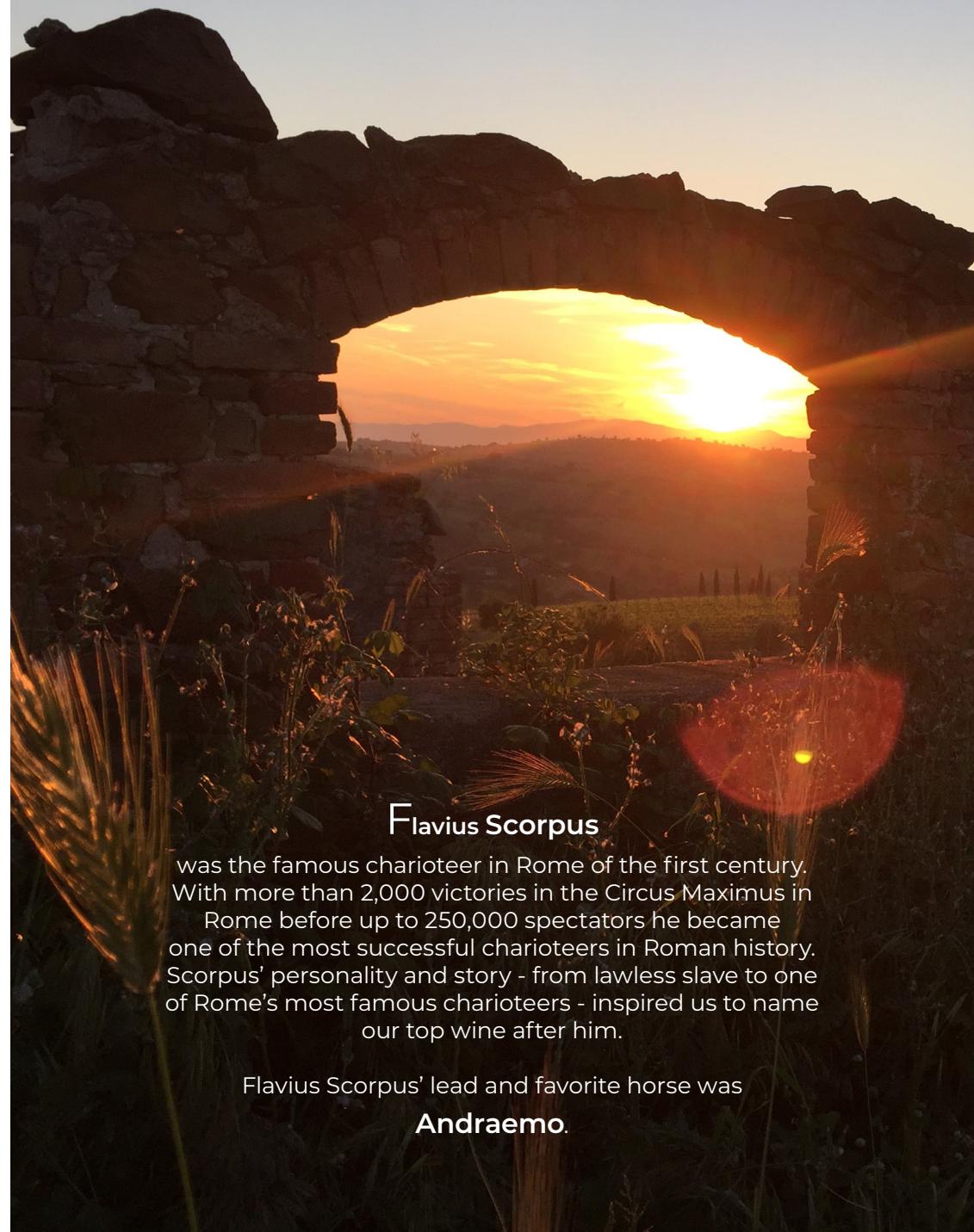


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**Year:** 2013, 2016, 2019, 2020  
**Grapes:** 100 % Sangiovese  
**Vol.:** 14.5 %; 15 % (2020)  
**Extract (g/l):** 31.8 (2013); 32.0 (2016); 31.0 (2019); 33.2 (2020)  
**Acid (g/l):** 4.8 (2013); 4.7 (2016); 5.5 (2019); 5.2 (2020)  
**Residual Sugar (g/l):** <1.0  
**Soil:** black shale  
**Aging:** wooden Barrel



### Flavius Scorus

was the famous charioteer in Rome of the first century. With more than 2,000 victories in the Circus Maximus in Rome before up to 250,000 spectators he became one of the most successful charioteers in Roman history. Scorus' personality and story - from lawless slave to one of Rome's most famous charioteers - inspired us to name our top wine after him.

Flavius Scorus' lead and favorite horse was **Andraemo**.

In 1996, I started my venture with the dream of owning my own vineyard, whose grapes would produce the highest quality red wines. Full energy, I drove the caravan to Italy to look for a suitable piece of land. This project quickly crystallized into a search for the infamous needle in the haystack. The more I saw, the more I knew what I didn't want. Least of all, a vineyard whose success would be based on industry or mass tourism.

Intuitively, I was always drawn close to Rome.  
Here I secretly hoped to find THE PLACE,  
I had long been searching for:

**A historic winery with a view overlooking the sea, nested in the most peaceful, unspoiled nature, with grapes that have the potential to write wine history.**

Finally, a decisive clue from an old Italian professor ultimately pointed me to the goal. When he poured me a red wine which can only be grown on the Terra Nera "island" because of its high geological conditions, I knew at the first drop: I've arrived! I had at last found the taste experience for which I had spent over 5 years meticulously searching.



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