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**Tenuta di Capezzana Vin Santo di
Carmignano DOC Riserva - 2012**

Robert Parker
WINE ADVOCATE

PRODUCER PROFILE

Winery Owner(s):

Contini Bonacossi Family

Winemaker:

Benedetta Contini Bonacossi

Winery Founded:

804

Region:

Tuscany

What a beauty. The Tenuta di Capezzana 2012 Vin Santo di Carmignano Riserva (packaged in a 375-milliliter bottle) inches forth from the tiny bottle slowly and ultimately reveals a spectacular color that is orange, copper and almost green at the same time. I tasted bottle number 962 of a precious 4,968 produced. This Vin Santo puts on a real show thanks to its rich viscosity that slides, shifts and glistens in the glass. There are many aromas to describe, and it is hard to do this wine justice given how quickly they shift and change. There is honey, brown sugar, dried herb, forest mushroom, caramel and tilled earth. I even got a hint of rubber boot. This is a work of art and a clear passion project. Assigning a numerical score to an aspirational wine like this somehow misses the point, but here goes nothing.

- *Monica Lerner*