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**Garofoli "Serra del Conte" Verdicchio
dei Castelli di Jesi Classico DOC - 2020**

wine review online

PRODUCER PROFILE

Winery Owner(s):

Carlo and Gianfranco Garofoli

Winemaker:

Carlo Garofoli

Winery Founded:

1871

Region:

Marche

Pale yellow color and aromas of grapefruit and Meyer lemon, floral notes. It is round and juicy in the mouth with flavors of pears, lemons and citrus peel beautifully balanced with crisp acidity, and would be perfect with a roast turkey sandwich. Serra del Conte is the name of the commune where the grapes are grown.

It is made from the Verdicchio grape, which Ian D'Agata argues is Italy's greatest native white grape in his *Native Wine Grapes of Italy*. While the Grofoli Winery was established in 1901, family members had been producing and selling wines since the 1870s. Today the winery is in the hands of brothers Gianfranco and Carlo.

- Rebecca Murphy