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**La Valentina Montepulciano
d'Abruzzo DOC - 2014**

Robert Parker
WINE ADVOCATE

PRODUCER PROFILE

Winery Owner(s):

Sabatino, Roberto, and Andrea Di Properzio

Winemaker:

Luca D'Attoma

Winery Founded:

1990

Region:

Abruzzo

The 2014 Montepulciano d'Abruzzo is a steady expression of the grape with that noticeable and needed touch of rusticity that reminds you of the rugged beauty of Abruzzo. The wine shows the personality of its roots. But the effect is also smooth and well balanced, making this an easy-drinking option to pair with hamburgers or hearty homemade meatloaf. - Monica Larner
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