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AZIENDA AGRICOLA LO SPARVIERE, FRANCIACORTA DOCG BRUT MILLESIMATO 2014

Lo Sparviere is the company's original country residence, the place where the first wines were made. The bottle-fermented sparkling wines made here today are in DOCG Franciacorta, Italy's premier region for the category. Cool soils, warm days and cool nights are vital for these grapes to deliver the kind of just ripe, but still crunchy-crisp, fruit

premium Franciacorta sparkling wines require. Brisk airflow off the nearby Alpine foothills and cool, clay soils provide these conditions, throwing in all the soil elements essential for balanced vines for good measure.

The Brut Millesimato 2014 is made from estate-grown, hand-picked, whole-bunch pressed Chardonnay (100%) and is coming into its prime now, with a fine and persistent perlage, a creamy core, and plenty of



soft mellow-yellow and crisper white fruit. **Drink now–2024 Alc 12.5%**



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