## Gavi DOCG *Le Marne*

## **VINTAGE: 2022**

**PRODUCER'S VINTAGE NOTES:** "It was a warm and dry year that experienced early vegetative development, 2 weeks in advance. To maintain the aromas and freshness, as well as avoid damage caused by the sun and the heat, in 2022 the vegetation that protected the bunches was preserved and manual harvest was carried out a week in advance, on 11 September, collecting perfectly healthy and ripe grapes. This vintage has shown how the vines have surprisingly adapted to the climate, yielding extremely expressive and balanced wines."

Stefano Chiarlo, winemaker

## **GRAPE VARIETY:** cortese

SOIL: clay marl VINEYARD EXPOSURE: located on high hills, the Ligurian sea is a few kilometres to the south and the Apennines to the west create a unique microclimate METHOD OF CULTIVATION: Guyot

**HARVEST:** manual harvest, preceded by summer thinning of excess bunches of grape

**VINIFICATION:** partial cold maceration followed by a soft-press and fermentation with indigenous yeasts for 12/15 days a temperature

between 16 and 18°C in steel tanks

**REFINEMENT:** an average of 3-4 months with its yeast in steel tanks **COLOUR:** straw yellow with brilliant green hues

**NOSE:** elegant, fresh with the scents of golden apple, acacia flower, citrus and bread crust

**TASTE:** well-structured, fragrant. Good length with finish which is round and savoury

**ACCOMPANIES:** carpaccio of meat and fish, sushi, spaghetti with clams, grilled fish

SERVING TEMPERATURE: 10-11° C BOTTLE SIZES: 0,750 I. - 1,5 I. CLOSURE: cork

